

H. O. TROWBRIDGE TAKES A BRIDE AT RENO.

**Well Known Druggist Marries a Clerk in a
Sacramento Store---Was Divorced Only
a Short Time Ago.**

RENO, Nev., April 26.—On April 22 a marriage license was issued by the County Clerk of Washoe county to H. O. Trowbridge, formerly of Oakland but now a resident of Mountain View, Cal., and Miss Georgia Shaw of El Dorado. That same afternoon the couple were united in marriage.

The news that Henry O. Trowbridge had married again in disregard of the recent California statute was totally unexpected in this city and will naturally provoke not a little gossip.

Nobody knew that he was paying attentions to a girl in Sacramento, and he had so recently been divorced that his hasty wedding will be a surprise to everybody, save perhaps some of his closest friends.

Mr. Trowbridge's new bride is the pretty daughter of an old miner who has long resided at El Dorado, in El Dorado county, who is highly respected by his neighbors. For the past two years she has been employed in Weinstein & Lubin's big Sacramento department store. She is bright, vivacious and very popular with a wide circle of friends.

The discord of Mr. Trowbridge's previous married life has recently been aired in the Superior Court of San Francisco.

Last January Judge Keegan entered a decree granting Lillie D. Trowbridge a divorce from Henry O. Trowbridge on the ground of desertion. This decree was filed on January 9th, and from that date Mr. Trowbridge was a free man. Under the law of California he could not legally contract a marriage till one year had elapsed.

Mrs. Trowbridge sued for divorce on December 24, 1901, but the couple had long been estranged.

Their marital infelicity was complicated by differences about money matters, and it was also said Mrs. Trowbridge thought her husband far too attentive to

other women. Mr. Trowbridge allowed the case to go by default, as the complaint contained no scandalous matter.

It is alleged, however, that Mr. Trowbridge had spent considerable of his wife's property, and the decree finds this to be the fact.

Plaintiff surrendered all claim to the community property, which was small, but was confirmed in her right to all the property standing in her name. The clauses of the decree relating to these matters read as follows:

"The defendant (Trowbridge) had spent a large majority of the community property of plaintiff and that the separate property of plaintiff is of record in her own name and that the proceeds thereof are amply sufficient to support plaintiff."

"It is ordered that the defendant be awarded all the community property and that all of the property standing of record in the name of the plaintiff be and is hereby decided to be the independent and private property of the plaintiff."

Mr. Trowbridge and Lillian Delger were married January 1, 1885. Their wedding was quite an event. The bride was the handsome daughter of Frederick Delger, the deceased millionaire, and the groom was a popular young society man well connected and of pleasing manners. He became a member of the drug firm of Kirkland & Trowbridge, which afterward sold out to the Owl Drug Company, with which Mr. Trowbridge is still connected.

For some years the couple lived in apparent harmony and happiness, but after the death of Mrs. Trowbridge's father, which occurred nearly five years ago, troubles came. Mrs. Trowbridge fell heir to a large fortune, and her husband, at ways gay and fond of pleasure, became quite prodigal in his expenditures.

Mrs. Trowbridge acquired a beautiful home on Vernon Heights, which became the center of much social life and gaiety. But there were rumors.

Suddenly Mrs. Trowbridge and her son sailed for Europe, leaving Mr. Trow-

bridge behind. As her departure had not been previously announced, the tea tables began to wink mysteriously and to wonder what was the matter. Shortly after, Mr. Trowbridge also packed his grip and started across the big pond, and then there was more speculation.

Whatever occurred abroad, the couple came back as they departed—separately.

Then it became rumored about that Mrs. Trowbridge was offended by Mr. Trowbridge's attentions to a pretty girl who sold bon-bons in a candy store. It was said that Mrs. Trowbridge drew the line at the candy girl and refused to be reconciled. The pair continued to live apart till the drama culminated in Mrs. Trowbridge's suit for a divorce.

Now the whole story will be revived by Mr. Trowbridge's sudden wedding of the pretty mountain lass from El Dorado.

Some time ago Mr. Trowbridge took up his home in Mountain View, Santa Clara county. He also took up the study of medicine. Mrs. Trowbridge caused considerable comment by studying medicine also. It was deemed odd that a society woman worth three or four hundred thousand dollars in her own right should want to be a doctor. But she confounded the gossips who said she had only taken up a fad by graduating as a full fledged physician. She has never practiced, however. She is a member of the Elbell and is prominent in society.

Mr. Trowbridge's last marriage is deemed a love match, as his bride's family are in limited circumstances. That is why she started out to earn her own living.

BRIDE WELL KNOWN.

EL DORADO, April 26.—Miss Shaw is generally known here.

She belonged to a well known family, her father being an old time miner.

Two years ago she went to Sacramento to work as a clerk in the store of Weinstein & Lubin, in order to earn her own living. She belonged to a number of societies here.

DIMMICK TO BE TRIED ONCE MORE.

**Jury In the Case Stood
Seven For Con-
viction.**

**FIVE HELD OUT
FOR ACQUITTAL.**

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—The jury in the case of Walter Dimmick, ex-chief clerk of the Mint was brought into Court at ten o'clock this morning and announced that they could not agree on a verdict in the case.

The jury was discharged by Judge de Haven.

The jury stood 7 for conviction and 5 for acquittal. This was the vote from first to last.

Yesterday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock the jury retired to deliberate on a verdict and remained out all night.

The Government officials announced today that the defendant will again be prosecuted on a charge of stealing \$30,000 from the Mint.

Walter N. Dimmick was brought back to the County Jail this afternoon and later he was interviewed by a TRIBUNE reporter. He was in an ugly frame of mind and glared at his questioner as if he could destroy him with his look.

"I have nothing to say," he said sneeringly.

"But you have many friends who would like to know how you feel about the disagreement of the jury," was urged.

"Is that so?" he said with another sneer.

"Did you know the jury stood seven for conviction and five for acquittal?"

"I have nothing to say."

"Was the disagreement of the jury a surprise to you?"

"No," he shouted angrily, striking the bars of his cell with his clenched fist, and then he relapsed into silence, refusing to utter another syllable.

RAILROAD CONCEDES THE DEMANDS OF STRIKERS.

**Will Give the Men Twenty-Five Cents an Hour
and Will Reinstate Those Discharged by
Vining---Union Recognized.**

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—The only differences now existing between the railroad and the strikers is about future employment.

The men want the railroad to employ none but union men in the future. The railroad men decline to make this agreement.

A meeting of all street car men has been called for 5 o'clock this afternoon at the Turk street temple.

The railroad company has conceded all other demands.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—The conference between the Directors of the United Railroads and the committee of striking car men ended at 12:30 o'clock, when the committee retired to submit the concessions offered by the company to the Union. They are:

A FLAT RATE OF 25 CENTS AN HOUR WITHOUT BONUSES OR A RATE OF 23 1/2 CENTS AN HOUR WITH BONUSES.

THE REINSTATEMENT OF THE CAR MEN DISCHARGED BY SUPERINTENDENT E. P. VINING.

AN OFFER ON THE PART OF THE COMPANY, WHEN GRIEVANCES ARISE BETWEEN THE COMPANY AND THE EMPLOYEES, TO RECEIVE A COMMITTEE FROM THE UNION OR ONE FROM ITS EMPLOYEES.

These concessions will be submitted immediately to the striking car men.

When asked if the strike was over, Chairman Knox of the Strike Conference Committee, said:

"By no means. These terms will have to be submitted to the car men."

MORNING MEETING.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—The members of the Executive Committee assembled at the railroad company's office about 9:30 o'clock this morning. President Holland and Chief Counsel Tiley L. Ford were the first to arrive. Jos. S. Tobin followed and Charles Holbrook and I. W. Hellman came soon afterward. None of them was willing to discuss the settlement of the strike or the instructions received from the Eastern stockholders.

"It is too early," said President Holland, as he withdrew to the seclusion of his private office. "We can say nothing yet."

The Executive Committee lost no time in getting down to business. The message from the New York stockholders came, as usual, in cipher, and more than an hour had been consumed in deciphering it, but this had been accomplished before the committee met.

A telephone message was sent to the headquarters of the striking carmen, advising them that the company's representatives were ready to meet them, and a conference was arranged to take place at 11:30 o'clock

at President Holland's office.

At that hour the carmen's committee arrived and at once went into the conference.

I. W. Hellman said to a reporter just before the meeting began:

"We shall have good news for you in a few minutes. The meeting will not last long."

It was evidently his impression that the company's proposition would be so favorable that it would be accepted at once.

ADDRESSED STRIKERS.

Director Holbrook addressed the strikers' committee as follows:

"To the Committee of the Employees of the United Railroads of San Francisco:

"Gentlemen: The officers of the United Railroads of San Francisco have carefully considered your demands and have conferred by wire with the representatives of the owners in the East and have made up our answer to your request.

"We do this with a sincere desire to establish and maintain good relations with you and the men you represent.

"Speaking for the directors of the United Railroads of San Francisco, I assure you we desire to act in a fair, just and liberal spirit in arranging for peace and harmony and the faithful and loyal services of the men who have been employed by the companies

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WAGES INCREASED FOR THE TRANSIT EMPLOYEES.

**The Company Also Announces That it Will Give
its Employes a Series of Free Picnics
This Season.**

At noon today a notice was posted at Oakland Transit car houses announcing an increase of wages to begin May 1st.

The present rate is 21 cents an hour for all men who have been in the company's employ less than five years and 22 cents an hour for all who have served five years or over. The new rate is a flat one of 24 cents an hour to all the men on all the lines. The day runs call for 11 hours' work and the night runs for from 9 1/2 to 10 hours' work.

A little over a year ago the carmen on the Transit lines began to agitate for a raise of their wages. They were then being paid on a graduated scale, ranging from 18 to 21 cents an hour.

Just before they got ready to make their demand, Manager Kelly posted a notice announcing a voluntary increase.

Since that time all has gone along smoothly, but recently the men have been agitating for another advance, and it was reported that they would hold a meeting next Monday night to make a demand for an increase.

In addition to the increase in wages the Transit Company has announced that it will give a series of free picnics during the coming season to the men employed on the various lines. The company will furnish the music and pay all the expenses, besides transporting the men and their families to and from the park at Haywards Canyon. A separate picnic will be given the employees on each line. The first of these picnics will take place next Wednesday, when the employees of the Eighth street line will be entertained. Following is the notice posted today announcing the increase in wages:

OAKLAND TRANSIT COMPANY CONSOLIDATED, Oakland, Cal., April 26th, 1902.

TO MOTORMEN AND CONDUCTORS.

One year ago on the first of

May we considered that the conditions warranted an increase of wages and accordingly the present rate was announced. Since that date we have been pleased to note that you have been careful and diligent in the discharge of your duties undisturbed by the clamor of agitators or the strife of others. Another May first is now near and in appreciation of the loyal, faithful men who have operated our cars skillfully and conscientiously we take pleasure in advising you that on and after May first all motorman and conductors will be paid at the rate of twenty-four cents per hour.

Trusting and believing that each and all of you will take a personal interest in the faithful

discharge of his duties to the end that it may be a pleasant and prosperous year for us all and with cordial good wishes for your personal success in your respective duties, we remain, very truly, OAKLAND TRANSIT CONSOLIDATED, W. J. KELLY, Gen. Manager.

April 26th, 1902.

By order of the Board of Directors.

BERKELEY WINS

BERKELEY, April 26.—The baseball game resulted in a victory for the Berkeley High School. Score: Berkeley, 6; Oakland Polytechnic, 0.

DONOHUE MUST ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

SUPREME COURT HOLDS THAT HE MUST GIVE EVIDENCE.

BEARS ON THE DANIELS' CASE.

The Supreme Court today affirmed the decision of Superior Judge Hall, who yesterday found Peter B. Donohue guilty of contempt in refusing to answer questions propounded to him.

Donohue was immediately brought back to the home of Judge Hall, and when he promised to answer any questions asked in the taking of his deposition, the magistrate purged him of contempt, and set the further hearing for next Thursday.

Donohue is suing M. J. Layman and others over oil stocks, and it was desired to take his deposition. Upon the advice of his attorneys he refused to answer the questions so that the matter could be carried to the Supreme Court to test the jurisdiction of the lower court in the matter of taking depositions.

The case has attracted widespread attention, it having to do with the suit of D. Edward Collins against the Enquirer Publishing Company, Dr. Geo. C. Pardee, Henry P. Dalton, C. B. Daniels and others.

SYNDICATES ARE BIDDING FOR RAILROAD.

GREAT CHAIN OF ELECTRIC RAILROADS AROUND THE BAY.

SAN JOSE IS THE CENTER OF BATTLE.

SAN JOSE, Cal., April 26.—Two rival syndicates are bidding against each other for the ownership of the two local street railway systems.

Both the Santa Clara and Alum Rock and the First street systems have been offered prices consistent with their value.

It is believed the design of each syndicate is to make the roads a part of the great chain of electric roads around the bay.

STRIKER WILL BE HANGED

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—In Judge Lawler's department of the Superior Court today William Buckley was sentenced to death for the murder of Geo M. Rice.

Thomas Noonan, jointly accused with Buckley, was given a life sentence in the Folsom State Prison.

Before passing judgment the court overruled the motion of the defense for a new trial.

Buckley's mother swooned on hearing sentence passed.

DAMAGE DONE BY STORM.

OMAHA, Neb., April 26.—The damage from last night's storm appears today to have been general throughout the city, although no great individual loss occurred.

The greater losses were down town, where a number of large plate glass windows were blown in and immense skylights blown to pieces.

Probably a hundred buildings suffered of cornices or porches.

A large number of accidents, some of them more or less serious, occurred, but the injured were removed to their homes before their names were learned.

Telephone, telegraph and fire alarm systems were badly demoralized.

Reports from the outside indicate similar damage in other near-by towns. The rains last night were heavy and the distribution was evenly divided throughout the State.



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Each coupon will bear the initials in large letters on the face of the tickets.

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The following is the list of payments made for the year ending 1901:

THAD TEMPLE and HENRY POTTER (Occidental Restaurant), No. 227 Bush Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 2,500 00

Collected by the Banking House of Daniel Meyer, San Francisco, Calif., for client, whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

MRS. C. CASPER, No. 312 McAllister Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

Paul Guderly, No. 71 McAllister Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

Jacob Fogel, No. 227 Post Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

S. Schwartz, No. 34 Fourth Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

Collected by the Bank of Central California for client Fresno..... 1,500 00

Henry F. Scott, Stockton, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

Chas. Rimassa, No. 121 Montgomery Avenue, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

Mary E. Gordon, No. 225 Washington Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

E. Richardson, No. 362 Seventeenth Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

Charles Schubert, No. 52 Franklin Street, San Francisco, Cal., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

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E. M. Winegar, No. 1229 Valencia Street, San Francisco, Calif., one-half of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

J. H. Moroney, No. 149 Guerrero Street, San Francisco, Calif., one-half of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

FRANK HOLMES (Holmes & Jenkins), Livery Stable, No. 831 Divisadero Street, San Francisco, Calif., one-half of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

JOHN WALKER, No. 16 Stewart Street, San Francisco, Calif., one-half of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

MRS. CHARLATE BEAVON, Reddington, Calaveras Co., Calif., whole of first capital prize..... 1,500 00

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MAY SETTLE BY ARBITRATION.

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN NINE WORKERS AND OWNERS WILL BE SUBMITTED.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The Conciliation Committee of the National Civic Federation, which is endeavoring to adjust the differences between the Anthracite operators and their miners, met here today with representatives of both sides of the controversy. The conference adjourned at 2 o'clock and the announcement was made that no definite results had been reached. A sub-committee of employers and men was appointed to take up the matter in dispute and will report on Tuesday next. Secretary Hays said that the speakers went over the situation very carefully. He said the general tone of discussion was very friendly but that no prediction as to the final outcome could be made.

WAS TRIED FIVE TIMES.

MILPITAS PEACE OFFICER AGAIN ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

SAN JOSE, Cal., April 25.—Fred Begerow, the Milpitas peace officer who shot and killed Joseph Cech and August Berger at a brewer's picnic here in July, 1901, is having a preliminary examination today under a new complaint filed after the decision of the Supreme Court approving the action of the District Attorney in reopening the case. Begerow has been tried five times, the jury in each case failing to agree.

BRIEF COURT NOTES

E. Rufus Hill has been discharged as executor of the will of the late Amanda J. Hill, the property having been distributed to the several heirs. The estate of the late Charlotte T. Racey has been appraised at \$515. It consists of \$15 in cash and a lot in Santa Clara county valued at \$500. Judge Ellsworth has granted a family allowance of \$20 a month from the estate of the late Joseph H. Clawson.

Attorney W. H. O'Brien today gave notice that he would move for a new trial in the suit over mining stock bought by J. McCosh Smith against James R. Little and others. The suit was won by the defendants.

SEVERELY BITTEN BY A FEROCIOUS DOG.

Joseph Brothers, a shoemaker, was severely bitten by a ferocious dog at High street Fruitvale yesterday afternoon. He was talking from his home in upper Fruitvale to his shop on High street when the enraged canine rushed from a yard and buried his fangs in the calf of Brothers' left leg. The wound, which is a severe one, but not dangerous, was treated at the Receiving Hospital.

MISS ELMA HARMON'S BIRTHDAY CARD PARTY

Mrs. A. K. P. Harmon gave a delightful party at her charming Fruitvale home this afternoon in honor of the eighteenth birthday of her accomplished daughter, Miss Elma E. Harmon. The guests numbered 95, and some very handsome spring gowns were worn.

NO ONE INJURED IN ACCIDENT

CHICAGO, April 25.—The Santa Fe Express train which was stalled near Willow Springs last night, was brought into Chicago at 4 o'clock this morning. The road officials reported that the cars did not touch the rails and that no one was injured.

WON FIRST PLACE IN A RELAY RACE

FRANKLIN FIELD, PHILADELPHIA, April 25.—One mile school relay, won by Perkiomen Seminary, Pittsburg; second, Cathedral at Philadelphia; third, St. Luke's, Bustleton, Pa. Time, 3:54.4.

W. H. MORSE SUED. An action was filed in Justice Stetson's Court yesterday by George P. Fraser against W. H. Morse to recover \$65 of which \$20 was loaned, \$22 included a promise to note and \$13 for merchandise purchased by defendant from plaintiff.

FREE GROCERIES

Delivery to any part of Oakland when you buy at Wm. Walsh & Co's Center, 17th and Peralta Streets, West Oakland.

All that is necessary, when you live at a distance, is to telephone JAMES 1941 and your orders will be promptly filled.

PINGREE TELLS OF THE BANK.

DID NOT WANT TO BE PRESIDENT IN CASE OF A WRECK.

DETROIT, Mich., April 25.—Frank C. Pingree, president of the wrecked City Savings Bank, was called to the witness stand today at the examination of Frank C. Andrews and Henry R. Andrews, vice president and cashier respectively of the bank, who are charged with causing its ruin. Mr. Pingree testified that last July the directors discovered that the bank was holding some of Frank C. Andrews' paper which they had not approved. Pingree said he talked the discovery over with Frank C. Andrews and told him that if the bank was going to be robbed (Pingree) did not want to have anything to do with it, but would resign. "Andrews," said Mr. Pingree, "said he would not take the presidency if I would resign."

BAD MEN FROM KANSAS.

LIFE WAS SAVED BY A BOOK IN THE MAN'S POCKET.

WICHITA, Kas., April 25.—Homer Latham, a ranch man, went to the city of Meade, in southwestern Kansas, last Wednesday and became disorderly. He fired four shots at the Marshal and hit a young man named Ed Kragh, who will probably die. The Marshal grappled with Latham and took his gun from him and aimed a bullet at his heart. His life was saved by a book in his breast pocket. The next day Jesse Latham, a brother of the prisoner, came to town with a revolver and defied the authorities. A public meeting was held and R. W. Griggs ordered Latham to surrender, but instead he fired his revolver recklessly and the first bullet grazed the cheek of Mrs. C. B. Campbell, who sat in the hotel parlor near by. He was finally disarmed and is in jail with his brother.

PETITION TO SELL FRANK ENCH PROPERTY

Mrs. Pauline Ench, widow of the late Capitalist Frank Ench, and executrix of the will of the decedent, has petitioned for an order to sell the following pieces of property belonging to the estate: A lot 23x55 feet on Geary street near Jones street, San Francisco; a lot on Greenwood avenue, San Rafael, and several lots in East Petaluma, Sonoma county. The petition states that the lot on Geary street was appraised at \$25,000, but that \$30,000 has recently been offered for it; that the lot in San Rafael adjoins a brewery and is valuable except as a part of the brewery plant, and that the property in Petaluma contains a shack that brings in only \$7.50 a month rental. The petition further states that the personal property remaining in the estate is valued at \$133,270.68.

FIELD DAY.

BERKELEY, April 25.—The results of the field day games between the Oakland and Berkeley High Schools are as follows: Fifty yard dash—Stanley, B. H. S., first; Doettinger, B. H. S., second; Rice, O. H., third. Time, 5.4-5. Two mile run—Sullivan, O. H., first; Land, O. H., second; Backus, O. H., third. Time 11:55. \$50 yard run—Coyne, O. H., first; Wrampelheimer, B. H. S., second; Burton, O. H., third. Time, 1:11-5. 100 yard dash—Hughes, O. H., first; Stanley, B. H. S., second; Wilcox, O. H., third. Time, 2-5 seconds. 120 yards hurdle—Chaplin, B. H., first; Thayer, O. H., second; Melvin, O. H., third. Time, 17.3-5. Total, O. H., 31; Berkeley, 23. The races are in progress.

RAILROAD TICKET OFFICE BURGLARIZED

Some time early this morning the Broad Gauge ticket office at Seventh and Market streets was entered and the cash drawer robbed of \$11.85—all that it contained. Entrance was gained through the rear door and once inside the robber had easy access to the till. Nothing else of value was taken. The loss was first discovered when the young lady having charge of the office arrived this morning she immediately discovered the loss. The police have been notified but the robber left nothing that could be used as a clue.

CLYDE SUNDERLAND IS DANGEROUSLY ILL

Clyde Sunderland, the well known insurance man and brother-in-law of Deputy County Clerk Charles T. Fugh, is dangerously ill at his home in East Oakland. He is suffering from brain fever and it is feared that he may not recover.

NEW TRIAL ASKED FOR

E. A. Berlin, against whom a judgment for \$10,000 was secured by G. A. Ware and A. W. Kimball, as executors of the will of the late Rev. Alexander Fairbairn, has given notice that he will move for a new trial on the ground of insufficiency of evidence to justify the decision of the jury and on the ground that both decision and judgment are against law.

CHAS. H. WOOD

Optician 1153 Washington Street Sign "The Winking Eye."

HE WAS BLOWN UP IN MINE.

WILLIAM HONGELL OF NEVADA CITY MEETS WITH FATAL ACCIDENT.

NEVADA CITY, Cal., April 25.—William Hongell was blown to atoms in Dr. Puscheck's mine near Yuba station this morning. Deceased was engaged in drilling a hole. His drill struck an old charge of powder. Hongell received the full charge. When removed Hongell was dead, his face and body being terribly mutilated. Hongell had met a series of misfortunes in the mine, having just recovered from a broken foot received by being caught in the machinery. Deceased was a resident of this city, aged about 30 years and a native of Sweden.

DAMAGE DONE BY TORNADO.

RESIDENCES BLOWN DOWN AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 25.—A special to the Star from Joplin, Mo., says: A revised list of the dead resulting from yesterday's tornado follows: J. O. JONES. MARTHA COOPER. The residences of Thos. Smith, Mrs. Nellie Sullivan, Mr. Babbs, V. D. Brower, and Mr. Thomas were completely demolished, while a score or two others were more or less badly damaged. The new Baptist church was overthrown and badly damaged, but the five members of the family were released unharmed. The Frisco round-house was partly destroyed, the roof was blown off the Joplin Roofing Company's building and the Joplin Ice and Cold Storage Supply Company suffered, and the Joplin Hay Company's barns were demolished.

WILL FINANCE THE TENNESSEE ROAD

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 25.—The Post-Dispatch today says: "Good authority in financial circles today that the Mercantile Trust Company has finally closed a deal by the terms of which it pledges itself to finance the Tennessee Central Railroad to the amount of \$15,000,000. This presents the largest transaction of its kind that has been made by a St. Louis financial institution."

QUEEN HAD A FAIRLY GOOD NIGHT

THE HAGUE, April 25.—In their morning bulletin from Castle Loo, Queen Wilhelmina's physicians say the rise in the patient's temperature yesterday evening was of shorter duration than before. Consequently the Queen had a fairly quiet night, resulting beneficially to her general condition.

NEW CORPORATION

The Swan Brewing Company has incorporated with a capital stock of \$20,000, of which \$6,150 has actually been subscribed. The principal place of business is at Oakland. Following are the directors: Jacob Weikert, Adolph Ringenberg, John Lugaumer, Anton Ringenberg, Katherina Weikert, Elsie Lugaumer.

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Plates

All the standard brands carried. We sell them at a discount. Get our prices.

Developing and Printing

We are showing samples of our work and ask that you call and inspect it. If you are particular you are the one we want to work for.

MANY RIOTS IN MOSCOW.

ONE REPORT SAYS THAT FIFTY PEOPLE WERE KILLED OR WOUNDED.

VIENNA, April 25.—A dispatch to the Allgemeine Zeitung from St. Petersburg, published today, announces that six riots of strikers have taken place at Moscow, and that the military dispersed the rioters with much bloodshed. One report says that fifty persons were killed or wounded. Revolts of peasantry in the provinces of Southern Russia, the dispatch adds, are causing a more critical situation, particularly at Kieff and Poltava, where the troops were required to suppress the outbreak.

CONCEDES DEMANDS OF THE STRIKERS

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from whom the United Railroads of San Francisco have bought the properties and we believe you will find that while there are some of your requests that the company cannot agree to, the real, vital demands have been conceded and the concessions asked for from who have invested their money in the properties. "We ask you to take a vote by ballot of the men you represent upon the wage question and certify to us the result and whatever understanding may be agreed upon we shall on behalf of the company, and shall expect you on behalf of the men you represent, to carry out the same in good faith."

THE AGREEMENT

The reply of the Executive Committee of the United Railroads to the plea of the car men for a betterment of conditions is as follows: "From the United Railroads of San Francisco to its conductors, motormen and gripmen: This company, answering the demands presented at its office on Wednesday, April 24th, by a committee of its employees, begs leave to say that the United Railroads has but recently purchased the properties affected by the present unfortunate strike and is but just now assuming active control of the properties thus purchased. The Board of Directors have, therefore, been compelled to hastily acquaint themselves with the facts and conditions upon which the following conclusions are based: "After mature deliberation, however, the company now submits its answer to the said demands, as follows: "First—it will maintain such regulations as will enable full attention to be given to all complaints made directly by its employees; will cause prompt investigation to be made of such complaints, and whenever it discovers the same to be well founded, will rectify any wrongs found to exist. It will not, however, deal in matters involving the management of its own affairs with other than its own employees, or committees thereof. This company recognizes the right of every person to belong, or to refuse to belong to a labor union, and it will discharge no employees because of his connection with such a union. "Second—The United Railroads will cause a prompt investigation to be made into the matter of the discharge of employees since September, 1901, by its predecessors, and will reinstate as many of said discharged men as desire reinstatement when they are found to have been competent and honest and attentive and careful in the performance of their duties. "Third—The United Railroads agrees that the hours of labor shall not exceed ten per day, and that all runs shall be finished within fourteen hours from the commencement of the run. "Fourth—The wages paid by this company shall be 23 1-2 cents per hour for time actually at work, together with the same bonus as has heretofore been paid by the Market Street Railway Company for long continued service, or a flat rate of 25 cents per hour for time actually at work, as the majority of the conductors, motormen and gripmen of the United Railroads may decide by ballot. "Fifth—The United Railroads will pay for time in excess of ten hours per day at the rate of 30 cents per hour."

CONFESSIONED MURDER.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 25.—Sheriff Naylor of Salt Lake City and Detective Fisher of Sacramento reached here this morning, having in custody Chas. Wardrip, who has confessed to the murder of Hugh Duffy, in this city in February last. Wardrip is 19 years of age, was born in Kentucky of Russian parentage and was liberated from prison in this State in November last, after having served a year for burglary committed at Madera. He has acknowledged having committed the murder and has said that he does not want imprisonment, but prefers to hang and die as bravely as his brother, who was hanged at Columbus, Ohio.

MORE TIME GIVEN MRS. GIBBS ASSAILANT

The trial of Joe See, which was to have been held this morning, was continued until April 29, at the request of Attorney O'Brien, who represents Joe See. Joe See is the Chinaman who attempted to assault Mrs. Gibbs as she was returning home from a lodge meeting. Joe See claims to have been drunk.

THEY BATTERED KELLER.

Frank Smith, colored, and Bert Cross were in the police court this morning upon a battery charge sworn out by P. J. Keller, known politically as the Mayor of Piedmont. The case will be tried before Judge Smith on May 16.

ANOTHER RAILROAD TO GO TO LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 25.—As a result of E. H. Harriman's visit to Salt Lake, and his inquiry into the cause of delay in work on the Oregon Short Line's extension to Los Angeles, it is now given out from reliable sources in this city that all obstacles to construction have been removed, and the new railroad between this city and Salt Lake will be completed and in operation before the end of the present year.

GO TO LOS ANGELES.

There remains less than 300 miles of new road to build to complete the line; about the mileage of old tracks will be relaid with heavy steel rails, and 110 miles of road southwest from Salt Lake, forming the Leamington cut-off through Garfield Beach and into the Tintic Mining district will be constructed to shorten the distance covered by the present line. The order contemplates a complete rebuilding of the railroad from Salt Lake and Caliente, the present southwestern terminus of the Oregon Short Line.

The new line is surveyed from Caliente to Ludlow, on the Santa Fe, and is semi-officially announced that a joint traffic agreement with the Santa Fe has been made, whereby the Short Line will use the Santa Fe tracks from Ludlow to Los Angeles.

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THE COMMITTEE ON WATER WORKS FULL

Mayor Barstow's municipal water works committee is now complete, John L. Howard having sent the Mayor the following letter of acceptance after conferring with Warren Olney: "San Francisco, Cal., April 24, 1902. "Mr. Anson Barstow, Mayor City of Oakland, Oakland, Calif.—Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of April 23d notifying me of my appointment on the committee to consider the question of the municipal ownership of water. "For the reason named in the concluding paragraph of your letter I have yielded to the earnest solicitation of my friend, Mr. Warren Olney, whose services and judgment you are fortunate in securing, and although I am at present almost overburdened with work, if my health permits I will gladly serve on the committee and will give the subject the best consideration at my command. Yours truly, JOHN L. HOWARD."

KILLED BY A BULL

SONORA, Cal., April 25.—Victor Rocca was killed today by an infuriated Jersey bull in a field adjoining the Catholic Cemetery. When attacked he grabbed a ring in the bull's nose and tried for help but was dragged 75 yards over the rocky road. His right ribs and neck were broken. Rocca was 39 years old. He was Chief Ranger of the Italian Court of Foresters and leaves a wife and four little children.

ODD FELLOWS MEET.

LONG BEACH, Cal., April 25.—Members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows from all parts of Southern California celebrated the eighty-third anniversary of the order at Long Beach today. Representatives of the order began to arrive by the earliest trains and at noon there were 3,000 to 3,500 visitors here attracted by the program prepared for the day's festival.

BUILDING MORTGAGED.

The new building which is being erected in Berkeley to be used by the Berkeley Postoffice has been mortgaged for \$16,000 to the Oakland Bank of Savings, the owners, Joseph E. and Lillian J. Eastman executing a deed of trust to that institution. The building is being erected on a lot 90x95 feet at Center and Oxford streets in the college town.

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CARD OF THANKS.

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Real Estate.

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them went to the club, even though they wanted ever so bad to go out to the track. They are a very conservative lot, you know, and horse-racing doesn't ordinarily appeal to them, but when it's for Fabiola, it's quite a different matter, for the cause has to be considered.

The younger set are eagerly looking forward to the production of "The Merchant of Venice," which is to be given in the High School gymnasium next Saturday evening. The cast of characters includes the name of a young lady who will doubtless 'ere long make a formal debut in society. I refer to Miss Cornelia Stratton, daughter of Collector of the Port Fred Stratton, who is to play Nerissa. Portia is to be given by Miss Ethel Kent, a sister of Mrs. Malcolm Graham, and Miss Alice Laws will play Jessica. The latter is a sister of Miss Charlotte Laws of Nevada. Most of the young gentlemen in the cast have essayed theatricals before, and are said to be exceptionally good.

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 months to Mr. Fraser's old home in Cana-
 da, which will be the first in twenty
 years. The guests of Mr. and Mrs.
 Fraser were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pat-
 terson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lamar,
 Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McPherson, Mr. and
 Mrs. Edward Bromley, Mr. and Mrs. Dan-
 iel, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPherson, Mr.
 and Mrs. Charles Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Will
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 Mrs. E. C. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. Bethe-
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by students in the English class, and several very talented young people are in the cast the event will be well worth the large patronage which is already promised. The entertainment will be for the purpose of adding to the gymnasium fund, and not only the high school students but all their friends are working energetically to make the affair a great financial success.

Those in charge of the play will endeavor to give each scene an appropriate and attractive setting and the characters will be richly costumed.

The fair portion will be delineated by Miss Ethel Kent and Archibald Jones will portray Shylock.

The complete cast is as follows:

Fortia, Miss Ethel Kent; Jessica, Miss Alice Laws; Nerissa, Miss Cornelia Stratton; Duke of Venice, Charles Miller; Bassanio, George C. Cavanaugh; Antonio, Raymond Snowden; Shylock, Archibald Jones; Gratiano, Coleman Schwartz; Sa-

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PRISONER ACCUSED OF FELONY
HAD TO URGE HIS OWN
ARREST.

When the case of W. H. Wheatly, colored, charged with intent to commit murder, was called in the Superior Court yesterday no prisoner appeared in the dock.

Upon investigation it was learned that the officials at the City Hall were in doubt about turning Wheatly over to the Sheriff, so an officer was sent to get him.

He was brought to the court-room and the trial commenced. After a short session a recess was declared and the court-room was cleared of spectators. The judge left the bench and all the court officials went out of the room.

Wheatly was left all alone in the dock.

After waiting a short time and no one coming to take him to his cell, Wheatly got up and walked to the window and rolled a cigarette. Smoking this, he rolled another and smoked again.

Still no one came to take him to his cell.

Then he walked out in the corridor and stood there for awhile.

No one molesting him, he walked down stairs and into the street.

Standing in front of the Sheriff's office he calmly rolled another cigarette and started to smoke it.

Just then Deputy Sheriff Striker happened along.

"Hello, Wheatly, out on bond?" asked Striker.

"Then it was that Wheatly told of his long wait in the court-room and how no officer had taken him in charge."

"Huh, guess they don't want me," said Wheatly, and he started to walk away.

But Striker laid hold of him and took him into the Sheriff's office and there they wanted him.

There is much discussion as to who should have taken charge of Wheatly.

The City Hall people pass the buck to the Sheriff's office and that office hands it back again.

WILL PETITION THE SUPERVISORS

TEMPERANCE PEOPLE WANT
AMENDMENT TO THE
LICENSE ORDINANCE.

Following is the text of a petition which is being extensively circulated by the Church Temperance Federation:

"To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Alameda County—Gentlemen: The undersigned, registered voters residing in Alameda county, outside the municipalities, hereby petition your honorable body to amend section 15, subdivision No. 2, of the ordinance of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, entitled 'An ordinance licensing for purposes of regulation and revenue, every kind of lawful business hereinafter specified, transacted or carried on within the corporate limits of the county of Alameda, State of California, and all shows, exhibitions and lawful games carried on therein. Fixing rates of license tax upon the same and prescribing penalties for the violation of said ordinance,' by adding the following words, to-wit:

"Whenever a written protest shall have been filed with this board signed by six or more electors in the precinct in which an application has been made for a saloon license, asking that said license be not granted to the person or persons petitioning for the same, and at the particular locality mentioned in the petition, said licenses will not be granted until the applicant for the license shall file a petition signed by a majority of the electors in said precinct, as shown on the poll list of the last general election, asking for the same."

"DEFENDANT DEFAULTS.

Default has been entered against G. A. Dugan on account of his failure to answer the suit brought by E. K. Taylor to eject him from premises in Alameda and recover money for rent.

"LICENSED TO MARRY.

John Pavard, Oakland 23

Mary L. Perry, Oakland 20

Leo Hess, San Pablo 21

Lillie E. Hummel, San Pablo 19

THEY SUBSCRIBE FOR ART FUND.

STARR KING FRATERNITY WILL
GIVE EXHIBITION IN
NOVEMBER.

The recent art exhibition given by the Starr King Fraternity was received so cordially, both by the public and by the artists, that the directors have decided to make the exhibit a regular annual affair.

The next exhibit, comprising oils, water color, pastel, miniatures, sculptures, photographs, ceramics, etc., will be held in November, continuing five days and nights.

The opening night will take the form of a reception to the artists and will be exclusively for patrons of the Art Fund.

It is desired to enlist a sufficient number of art lovers in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda to ensure annual exhibits of superior merit. For this purpose, a fund has been established, to be known as the Oakland Art Fund, to be applied exclusively for the encouragement of art on this side of the bay.

Patrons of this fund, on payment of \$1 annually, are entitled to either four single-admission tickets, transferable after the reception night, or to one season ticket, transferable after the Reception Night. Over sixty persons have already been enrolled as patrons of the Oakland Art Fund, among them the following:

Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mr. Warren Olney, Mr. A. A. Penoyer, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Freeman, Mrs. Archibald Borland, Mrs. Kate A. Bulkeley, Mr. Samuel T. Alexander, Mrs. E. M. Herrick, Mrs. Arthur Breed, Mrs. C. W. Parnum, Miss F. Marion Smith, Miss Grace Sperry, Miss May Burdge, Miss Winifred Burdge, Mrs. N. H. Chamberlain, Miss Anne Frances Briggs, Miss M. De Neale, Mrs. A. B. Nye, Miss Ada Bates, Mrs. D. M. Gelwick.

The Trustees of the Art Fund are: Dr. Edward von Adelung, president; Starr King Fraternity, Mrs. Charles D. Gilman, Director of the Art Exhibit; Mrs. E. A. Kluegel, Vice-President; Starr King Fraternity and Secretary of the Art Fund, 1131 Linden street, Oakland, Cal.

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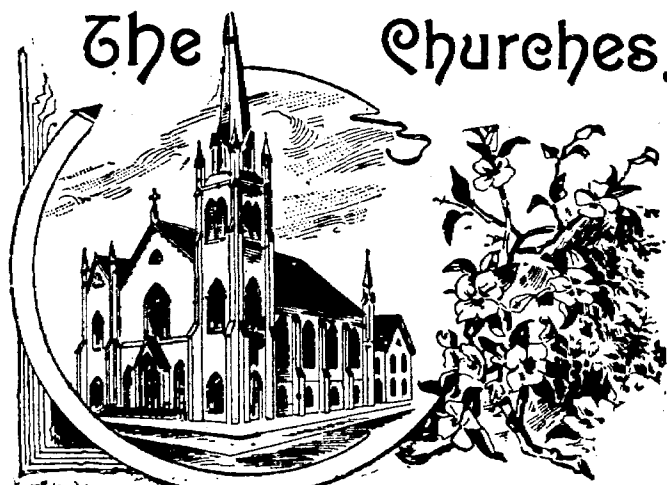
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E. B. EDSON IS OUT FOR THE NOMINATION.

Comments Made on the Candidacy
of the Man From the North—
Wants to Be Governor.

(From Sacramento Leader.)
Under existing conditions we believe that E. B. Edson is the man most likely to command the undivided strength of the party. He would be acceptable to both factions. An old resident of the State, he is widely known and possesses peculiar elements of popularity. His advent in state politics was in 1898, when he was elected Railroad Commissioner from the First District over H. M. LaRue by a vote of 42,106 to 28,121 for his opponent—a man of unusual popularity. The district embraces more than a third of the voting population of the state; his competitor has held the office for four years, and was a man widely known and deservedly well liked. In the office Mr. Edson has

added to his strength, and as a nominee for Governor would unquestionably be elected.
(Colusa Herald.)
E. B. Edson has formally announced his candidacy for Governor, and there is no question but what he will prove a formidable competitor against all aspirants for gubernatorial honors. Mr. Edson in the discharge of his duties as Railroad Commissioner has shown himself a friend of the people, and by this important office he would carry Northern California as no other man could carry it, for his nomination would have the effect of harmonizing all discordant elements within the party, and would so unify them that his election would virtually be assured.



The church announcements for tomorrow are as follows:

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Congregational Church, Rev. Chas. R. Brown, pastor—Morning service, 11 o'clock. "The Changing Aspects of Religious Work." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Addresses by L. M. Hartley and the pastor on "Practical Opposition to the Open Saloon."

Second Congregational Church, Rev. J. W. Phillips, pastor—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject: "Separated for the Service of God." Evening at 7:30: "A True Friend."

Plymouth Avenue Congregational Church, Plymouth avenue (Thirty-fourth street) and Elm street, Rev. Stephen R. Wood, pastor—11 A. M., morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. 12:15 P. M., Sunday school. Pastor's Bible class, 6:15 P. M., Christian Science meeting. 7:30 P. M., evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.

Fruitvale Congregational Chapel, Rev. H. B. Mowbray, pastor—11 A. M., "The Boldness and Vitality of Paul." 7:30 P. M., paper by Anson Heilon on "The Joys of Sparta."

PRESBYTERIAN.

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, Rev. W. Fraser, pastor—Morning service, 11 o'clock. Subject: "The morning service, Harry Hilliard of Berkeley will preach. Evening service, 7:30. Subject: "A Threefold Fact."

First Presbyterian—Rev. Ernest E. Baker will preach at 11 A. M. on "God's Universalism" and at 7:30 P. M. on "Christianity and War" with an incidental discussion of the war in South Africa. Organ recital by Miss Hill with baritone solo by Mr. Rowlands, 7 to 7:30 P. M.

METHODIST.

First M. E. Church—11 A. M., Rev. J. A. B. Wilson, D. D., of San Francisco, will preach. 7:30 P. M.: The pastor will preach: "The Mission of the Anglo-Saxon." The Sons of St. George will attend in a body. Special music, South, Fifteenth and Broadway.

Chester Street Methodist, Monroe H. Alexander, pastor—Morning: "The Uses of Suffering." Evening: "The Body and the Soul."

Eight Avenue M. E. Church, Owen Holt, pastor—Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor. Subject: "Action and Reaction." At 7:30 Rev. Raymond C. Brooks of the Alhambra Congregational Church will preach in exchange with the pastor.

BAPTIST.

First Baptist Church—Rev. Homer J. Vosburg, pastor, will preach at 11 A. M. on "Carer of Mission, Which?" and at 7:30 P. M. on "Obstacles to Marriage," the third in the series on "Christianity and Family Life."

Tenth Avenue Baptist Church—The pastor, Arthur Breed, will preach at 11 A. M. on "What Jesus Taught About His Saving Work." 7:30 P. M.: A praise service, to be given by the choir, concert of solo quartet, male quartet and chorus of fifty voices. O. M. Vesper, director. The pastor will speak.

First Free Baptist Church, Rev. H. A. Lichtenbach, pastor—11 A. M., sermon: "Light vs. Darkness." 12:15, Sunday school. 7:30 P. M., preaching service: "Then C. T. Bondage will preach at the Golden Gate Baptist Church morning and evening. Sunday school, 12:15.

EPISCOPAL.

St. Paul's Church, Rev. R. Ritchie, rector—11 A. M., morning prayer and sermon, 9:45 A. M.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 P. M.; confirmation classes, 10 A. M. and 4:30 P. M.

ST. JOHN'S.

St. John's Church, Episcopal—Sunday, April 27, 1902. Fourth Sunday after Easter. Low Mass at 8 o'clock. Holy Eucharist at 7:45. Morning prayer at 10:15. High celebration of the Holy Eucharist and sermon at 11. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30. M. N. Ray, rector.

UNITARIAN.

First Unitarian Church, Benjamin Fay Mills and George Fuller, ministers—10:45 A. M., Mr. Mills will preach on "The Next Man." 7:30 P. M., Mr. Fuller on "The Next Man."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner Seventeenth and Franklin streets—Services at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Subject: "Everlasting Punishment." Wednesday evening meeting, 7:30 P. M. Second Church of Christ, Scientist, 1735 Thirteenth avenue near East Sixteenth street—11 A. M., Christian Science Bible lesson. Subject: "Everlasting Punishment." Sunday school at same hour. Wednesday evening meeting, 7:45 P. M. All are cordially invited.

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Mrs. Ada L. French Says
Her Husband Could
Not Marry.

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DIVORCE LAWS.

Mrs. Ada L. French has petitioned to be granted a divorce from George A. French and asked to be allowed to resume her maiden name of Ada L. Snow.

The couple were married in Oakland November 19, 1897, but it has since been learned that French was divorced from a former wife at Washington, D. C., five months before.

As the California law prohibits remarriage within a year after divorce the couple may not have been legally married, although the divorce was granted in another State.

THE WEALTH OF NATIONS.

The year book of the London Daily Mail estimates the wealth of the United States as more than equal to the combined riches of France and Russia, as twice that of Germany; and as greater by \$2,000,000,000 than that of Great Britain. In round numbers it appears that the wealth of the leading nations is:

United States	\$1,400,000,000
Great Britain	\$1,300,000,000
France	\$850,000,000
Germany	\$400,000,000
Russia	\$325,000,000

The percentage of debt to wealth is: United States, 1-10 per cent.; United Kingdom, 6 per cent.; Germany, 1-10 per cent.; Russia, 11-10 per cent.; France, 12-10 per cent.

MAY SELL PROPERTY.

Judge Ogden today authorized the Golden Gate Congregational Church to sell its property at Thirty-fourth and Adeline streets. This money is to be used for purchasing property at Thirty-sixth and Grove streets, upon which to erect a church building. The proposed change was recently contested in the court.

WANTS TO SELL STEERS.

Frank R. John today applied to the Superior Court for permission to sell eight head of steers belonging to the estate of his uncle, Manuel De Rosa, who disappeared from Livermore some time ago. The money is desired to pay the expenses of conducting the affairs of the estate.

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STREET CAR STRIKE SHAKES UP THINGS ACROSS THE BAY.

UNSKILLED LABOR IS NOT SATISFIED—JACK WILSON MADE
MONEY IN COAL—GOOD STORY ON EX-ASSEMBLYMAN
LA BAREE—THE SANTA FE.

BY GEO. F. HATTON.

(Special to the Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—The street car strike this side of the bay is shaking things up more than is patent on the surface, for there are mutterings and whisperings that carry alarm to the hearts of business men. These rumors are all to the effect that a general labor strike is brewing and although it has proved impossible to trace the gossip to its source, so many people have heard the same story that it looks like a case of seeing some fire in view of so much smoke.

Railroad men for example hint at the disaffection that later on may mean serious trouble, the rank and file in the hosts of unskilled labor are giving evidences of getting over the traces and during the past thirty days attacks other than the one made so prominently by the car men have been in evidence. For instance the coal shovellers were all on the verge of quitting work a few days ago. They number several thousand men employed for the most part on the water front and their labors consist of unloading the various coal ships that reach port.

In the past their pay consisted of fifty cents an hour and seventy-five cents an hour overtime. A schedule that on its face looks very alluring. When it is known however that the work is about the hardest and most exacting in town it makes matters somewhat different, for the shovellers toil in the holds of the vessels, breathing coal dust and compelled under rush orders to frequently work twenty hours at a time. This condition of affairs of course does not exist always, for the men could not stand it if it did, but about eight times a month they run across such a proposition and well earn the \$5 or so they get as a reward for their long shift.

When, therefore, these men last week demanded 55 cents an hour the proposition appealed so reasonably to some of the coal operating establishments that they granted it at once. John Rosenfield did more—he voluntarily offered the laborers one dollar an hour for overtime, and with this schedule made up they went down the line of the other houses and won out everywhere. Dunsmuir was the last to hold out, but when a committee waited upon him and notified them that a ship that had just arrived in dock would not be unloaded at the old rates they struck colors. In addition to realizing that they would have little chance of beating the men, they are charged \$200 a day demurrage on each vessel, so a lockout of any pretensions would soon eat up all the difference in controversy.

An idea of the proportions of the coal business here can be obtained from the fact that the local corporation doing business in San Francisco under the name of R. Dunsmuir and Sons pays \$2,250 a month for the privilege of using the word Dunsmuir. Of this sum \$1,500 a month goes to Robert Dunsmuir, the head of the house in Vancouver, and \$750 to his son. The firm handles about 35,000 tons of coal a month, and as it has the contract for supplying the naval vessels in port, it is presumed that it succeeds in making the business pay. Each ship from the North brings down a cargo of from 2,000 to 4,000 tons and the freighting is in such demand that the steamers are rushed back in water ballast.

Jack Wilson, formerly of Oakland, has made one of the biggest successes in the local coal trade, for in the past five years his firm has handled over \$500,000 worth of contracts for the Government alone. As ten per cent profit would only be a fair estimate, it is safe to say that Wilson is \$100,000 richer than when he moved out of Oakland a few years ago.

OIL BURNERS IN EVIDENCE.

The equipment of so many vessels with oil burners is fast eating into the coal trade, however, and those in touch with what is going on say that the fuel will be reduced a dollar a ton within the next few weeks. Not only are many coasters being fitted up with oil consumers, but ferry boats and local trains are following suit, the new steamer Tamalpais on the Sausalito run and the trains of that company the other side of the bay being operated with petroleum exclusively.

Mention of the Sausalito road suggests that the Marin county side is fast cropping up as a formidable rival to Alameda county for suburban traf-

fic. The new owners of the railroad will inaugurate tomorrow a permanent schedule by which boats will run more frequently from each side up to 11:45 p. m. every night from San Francisco and as this removes one of the principal obstacles that has always been raised against residence in Marin there will probably be a notable movement in that direction this summer.

The suburbanites who travel to and from the Marin shore make more of a social proposition of it than do those who patronize the Oakland ferries. In order to while away the thirty minutes required for the trip, whilst clubs are in operation on each steamer during the morning and evening runs, special rooms being provided by the company at the rate of \$12 a month per room. The clubs, too, are kept exclusive by a system of blackballing, where one of that color means the rejection of an applicant, and as no drinking or gambling is allowed in the rooms there can be no objection to them on that score.

ANOTHER WILD GOOSE CHASE.

Talking of traveling on the bay, it may interest some people to know that another forlorn attempt has recently been made to locate the Rio—probably the last that will ever be essayed. A down-town business man was approached on the subject by an individual who advanced a theory that certainly sounded well. The point raised was that instead of striking on Mile Rock or any of the snags on the San Francisco side of the Golden Gate, the Rio had hit on the opposite shore, probably on the reef where the City of New York met disaster a few years ago. In support of this theory it was shown that the statements of the pilot and also those on shore who heard the whistling, did not prove that the ship was pointing down the south channel, while on the other hand, in view of the heavy fog, it was just as likely that she had lost her bearings and run aground of the Marin shore.

The story sounded so plausible that the business men advanced several hundred dollars to meet the expenses, and under the guise of fishing boats have recently dragged the entire section where under this latest theory the Rio could possibly be. Labor and expenditure have all gone for naught, though it is likely that this last despairing effort marks the close of the attempts to locate the ill-fated vessel.

THE SANTA FE.

Although the proposition to build the Santa Fe line into Oakland has apparently died out as completely as on former occasions, such is not the case by any means. The only actual setback the promoters of the new East Side Railroad have received is the failure of Havens to get Congress to take to his scheme for the use of Goat Island, and it was a foregone conclusion before he left for Washington that such would be the outcome. If the Southern Pacific could not secure that concession when it was at the zenith of its power there is little likelihood that any other line could now.

Where the hitch has been created in the plans is as regards securing certain rights of way in the vicinity of Berkeley. As usual, the fact that a competing road wants the property has put its price up sky-high, and this matter will have to be straightened out before anything else can be attempted. There seems to be no question, though, that ere long the connecting link will be made, for everyone associated with the East Side Railroad insists that it is not a mere boon proposition, but that the extensions will be constructed.

CLARKE'S ROAD.

Reports from down South indicate that the advent of Clark's Salt Lake line is going to shake things up considerably, not only in that immediate section, but throughout the entire state. The Montana Senator does everything upon a big scale, and the fact that he has already secured political representatives who are guarding his interests South of Tehachapi indicates that he intends to take an active part in affairs here later on. This will make some of the political operators feel happy, for they have not quite got over the way their mouths watered when they read of Clark's method of doing politics in Montana, and the careless manner in which ten thousand dollar bills floated

around the capital at Helena.

That Clark is spreading out considerably in the west is shown, not only by his expenditure on the Salt Lake road, but his purchase of the Salt Lake Tribune, since placed under the management of Perry Heath, the former Assistant Postmaster General. There have been rumors floating about here, too, for some time past that the syndicate that has recently been acquiring newspaper properties in the west, and which Clark is credited with backing in, is the owner of the San Francisco Post. Be that as it may, the story of who purchased the Post is a secret locked in the hearts of those now conducting it, and they are as close-mouthed still as they were in the first instance.

It might be asked why Clark should want to be a newspaper proprietor. In the first place, his railroad and mining interests are becoming so vast that newspapers to foster and protect them would be a splendid investment, especially so as the papers he is credited with purchasing are all paying properties, and nothing will, therefore, be lost on that score. Secondly, and probably the prime reason, is that Clark is not satisfied with his present prominence as a United States Senator, but wants to climb higher. It is an open secret that he aspired to the Vice-Presidential nomination that went to Roosevelt, and there is little doubt that his plans are to secure that plum if it comes to the West four years hence, as it has an excellent prospect of doing. A man whose ready money income is said to be a million a month, and whose capital is so great that it is almost impossible to figure it out, can certainly satiate about all the whims that enter his mind, and as that is the position Clark occupies in life he can buy newspapers and build railroads with as little concern as the average individual would attach to the purchase of a new suit of clothes.

WAS ON A TEAR.

Ex-Assemblyman La Barea of Trinity County, who is in town en route to the Native Sons Convention at San Jose next week does not grow enthusiastic in behalf of the carmen when the strike comes under discussion. He has reasons of his own for criticizing their action, the explanation being centered in an incident that occurred on Market street this week.

In order to kill time La Barea took a trip across the bay to the racetrack, where with the luck of a man who does not know anything about the game he succeeded in winning three straight bets, and thereby put a rich golden lining in his pockets. He was in consequence very much elated when he landed back in town and as expense was no object he boarded one of the express wagons near the ferry and in company with other passengers was soon heading towards the Grand Hotel, where he is located.

La Barea was in good humor with the world at large and when at the first crossing a neat looking girl boarded the wagon and sat down on a dry goods box immediately opposite the one upon which he was perched, he proceeded to inaugurate a conversation.

"Rather a novel experience," he suggested pleasantly as a starter.

"Yess," said the girl.

A pause and then, "We don't have strikes in Weaverville," from the statesman.

"Naw?" questioned his vis-a-vis.

"Except mining strikes—ha! ha!" joked the man from the north.

The girl looked around to see what he was laughing at.

"Or strikes by hobos—ha! ha!" he continued merrily.

"I guess he's been drinking," the girl whispered to an old woman seated next to her.

Another long, painful pause and then La Barea, gazing up at the gathering clouds, emitted, "It looks like rain."

"Sure," said the girl.

Two blinks at funeral pace and then the statesman, realizing that he had not treated much of an impression to date, made a sublime effort and said, "They call this an express wagon, but I guess the man who named it didn't know how to express himself."

"I think his name's Dolan," replied the girl solemnly. "Michael Dolan."

La Barea subsided and a coarse man in the corner laughed out loud.

One more block and his destination was reached. "Here is where I make the horse happy," said La Barea gaily.

"Good-bye," and he started to get up.

R-r-r-r-r-r-r—there was a sound of tearing cloth, a muffled oath from La Barea, a surprised look on the girl's face and a howl of delight from the coarse man in the corner. In arising the statesman had overlooked a nail in the box upon which he had been seated and it had torn in twain the entire bosom of his pants.

"Back up there," shouted a race-track tout, and La Barea followed the suggestion and backed against the wall.

"That is always the way with you country politicians," said Tom Nosler, when La Barea told his tale of woe in the Grand Hotel bar a couple of minutes later. "The moment you get in town you have to go on a tear."

HATTON.

Liberal Chinamen.
The Chinamen of Augusta have shown very substantial interest in the building of the new First Baptist Church. They have set an example that their more enlightened brethren will do well to follow. The local Celestians have already raised \$255 toward the church's building fund, and will contribute \$40 more. None of those who contributed are church communicants, but they show as much interest as if they were.—Augusta (Ga.) Herald.

WILL CONTROL FRUIT MARKET OF THE EAST.

Shippers and Growers
Will Organize in San
Francisco.

OF VITAL INTEREST TO ALAMEDA ORCHARDISTS

The green deciduous fruit growers of California held a meeting at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco yesterday to discuss the organization of an association, the idea of which is to eliminate needless competition in the East and control the various Eastern markets and exploit new markets in this country and abroad. The scheme will be of vital interest to fruit growers of Alameda county.

The plan was discussed at length, and the situation carefully canvassed, and it was the sense of the meeting that the association would be an unqualified success. The shippers will again meet next Wednesday and Thursday to perfect the details of the organization. After yesterday's meeting one of the shippers said:

"Just what form the association or organization will take it is impossible to say at this time. We have reached only the preliminary stage. Shippers represent 95 per cent of the deciduous fruit crop have come together and talked over the situation and we hope to make further progress in the direction of organizing at our next meeting next week. Whatever benefits may be derived from the combined efforts of the shippers will be shared by the growers, for our one purpose is to find a market for the entire crop at good prices."

CONTRACTS FOR CHEAPER GAS.

MARTIN'S NEW PROCESS—
JOHN A. BRITTON APPOINTED
CONSULTING ENGINEER.

John Martin, who is at the head of the syndicate which holds an option on the stock of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company, subject to the approval of the stockholders, is interested in a new process for insulating gas that is said to be much cheaper than the process now in use. He has entered into a contract with the Oakland Gas Company to supply the corporation with a certain quantity of gas manufactured by the new process. This contract has no connection with the deal for the purchase of the stock of the corporation.

That deal has been made by Mr. Martin in the interests of the syndicate that has obtained control of nearly all the lighting plants in Northern California. John A. Britton, president of the Oakland Gas Company, has been appointed consulting engineer for the United Gas and Electric Company of San Francisco, another one of the projects launched by John Martin. It is intended to build a pipe line from San Jose to San Mateo, and supply the latter town with gas manufactured in the former. The San Mateo plant will be closed down.

KNIGHTS TO MEET AT BERKELEY.

CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION TO
GIVE AN ENTERTAINMENT.

A musical and literary entertainment will be given in St. Joseph's Hall, Berkeley, Monday evening, April 28th, under the auspices of St. Joseph's Branch, No. 735, C. K. of A.

Local talent of a high order has been secured for the occasion.

The feature of the evening will be an address by Hon. Eugene Blakelee of Hallettsville, Texas, national organizer of the C. K. of A.

B. VON HOMEYER NOT GUILTY OF FRAUD

The jury's verdict in the suit brought by Park, Lacey & Co. against B. von Homeyer to recover \$3,697.65 was a complete vindication for von Homeyer, the evidence showing that he was not guilty of any of the acts charged in the complaint. The jury was out only ten minutes.

In the complaint von Homeyer was charged with fraudulently representing himself to be the agent of the Encinal City Oil Company, thereby securing oil pipe and casing valued at \$3,697.65. As a matter of fact von Homeyer had a contract with the company to purchase the apparatus and this contract was produced in court. Von Homeyer counters the verdict a complete vindication.

One of Dumas' Jokes.

Just for a joke Dumas once addressed a letter to "the greatest poet in Paris." The postoffice sent it to Lamartine, the idol of sentimental readers. He hesitated to open it, and it was Victor Hugo, who protested that his brother had far too humble an opinion of himself. After some conversation they agreed to decide by lot which of the two should open the envelope. The lot fell to Victor Hugo, who, taking out the letter, read: "My Dear Alfred, it was written to Alfred de Musset."—New York Tribune.

DAUGHTER WINS CONTEST OVER HEATON ESTATE.

Judge Ellsworth Decides She is Natural Child.

NEPHEW WILL APPEAL TO SUPREME COURT.

Judge Ellsworth has decided that Jennie M. Heaton is the natural daughter of the late Warren D. Heaton, over whose estate there has been such a spirited contest. Judge Ellsworth also granted Miss Heaton letters of administration on the estate and denied the petition for letters applied for by Charles W. Palm, a nephew of the decedent. Palm will appeal.

Warren D. Heaton died on August 25, 1900. He left no will. Prior to his death he decided most of his property valued at about \$50,000 to certain persons, excluding his daughter. There remained in his estate property valued at about \$7,500. Charles W. Palm, a nephew, applied for letters on the estate. Then Miss Heaton appeared on the scene and filed a counter petition. About that time she won \$3,750 in a lottery and part of this money has been used in carrying on the litigation that has since been pending Miss Heaton won her contest when it was first decided by Judge Greene, but an appeal was taken and the Supreme Court reversed the judgment. It was tried again before Judge Ellsworth and again Miss Heaton has obtained a victory in the lower court.

In reviewing the testimony Judge Ellsworth said: "I am satisfied from the evidence that the petitioner was the natural child of some one. It would be remarkable if a legitimate child was adopted, as she was by Mrs. May prior to her marriage to Heaton. It was shown by the testimony that arrangements were made for Mrs. May to go to Santa Clara and get the child, whom she had never seen, and the child was to be lost sight of by her mother. Other testimony showed that Mrs. May had told Mrs. Heaton's child, and he himself acknowledged her as his child. If he disclaimed her in moments of anger, as shown by the testimony, I do not think that very remarkable. Other men have been known to disclaim their own flesh and blood born in later life. The fact that he had nothing more to do with his daughter after his second marriage can easily be explained by the testimony showing that Miss Heaton and the second wife did not get along together well, and it was natural for the father to cling to his wife."

THE EMPEROR'S KINGDOM.

From the New York World.
Many an interesting anecdote is told of the "old Kaiser Wilhelm"—the grandfather of Emperor William and Prince Henry. In his later years the aged monarch took great pleasure in visiting the schools and catechizing the children. At one time when in the city of Ems he visited an orphan school that was in the city and under government patronage. After listening for an hour or more to the recitations of several of the classes, the Kaiser called to the front a bright, golden-haired little girl seven or eight years of age, and lifting her into his lap, said to her:

"Now, then, my little fraulein, let me see if you can answer me three hard questions." And taking an orange out of his pocket he held it up. "To what kingdom does this belong?" he asked.

The little girl hesitated a moment and then said timidly: "To the vegetable kingdom."

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BERKELEY WILL SUE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA.

WANTS TO RECOVER MONEY FOR CARRYING OUT THE STATE LAW—NOTES FROM THE COLLEGE TOWN.

BERKELEY, April 26.—The town of Berkeley will probably bring suit against the County of Alameda for the recovery of approximately \$450 for services performed in carrying out the County and State laws.

Since May 1, 1901, the marshal's offices has handled 200 cases of which 154 according to the opinion of the marshal's office carry fees with them. The four liquor cases of \$140 each and there are 150 misdemeanor cases with a fee of \$2 each, making a sum total of \$450 that the town of Berkeley will attempt to recover from the county.

Town Attorney Hayne is looking into the matter and will probably bring suit at the instance of the marshal to recover the money. After May 1, all the cases will be outlawed unless suit is commenced.

GRAND MUSICAL CONCERT FOR HIGH SCHOOL PIANO.

BERKELEY, April 26.—Great headway has been made in disposing of tickets for the Grand Musical Concert to be given by Miss Julia Heinrich, assisted by Paul Friedhofer, Fred Maurer, Kathleen Parlow and others, on May 2, for the benefit of the Berkeley High School.

The teachers and students have taken up with the idea with enthusiasm and the musical will be considered very much in the light of a social event.

The proceeds will go toward buying a new piano for the High School. The sum of \$150 has been raised already.

WILL DEMAND FEE FOR SPECIAL EXAMINATION.

BERKELEY, April 26.—Considerable comment has been caused among the students of the University relative to a proposed examination fee of \$3 for all special examinations or examinations which are held out of the usual schedule.

The object of the proposed fee is to preserve as far as possible the schedule as it has been prepared and to restrain the students at the close of the term from demanding examinations out of their turn.

SPECTACULAR SHAM BATTLE TO BE GIVEN MAY 5TH.

BERKELEY, April 26.—There will be no further drills at the University between now and May 5, when a very spectacular sham battle will be given by the University cadets.

This is one of the most interesting features at the close of each college year and usually several thousand people witness the performance.

FIRE LIMITS WILL BE SEVERE.

BERKELEY, April 26.—Next Monday night the Town Trustees will meet to pass the fire limit ordinance. According to the proposed law, severe restrictions will not only be imposed in the fire limits, but without also.

VAUDEVILLE SHOW WAS FINANCIAL SUCCESS.

BERKELEY, April 26.—The final report of the secretary of the vaudeville show shows a net profit of \$332.79, which sum has been turned over to the Track Team fund.

HEAVY ASSESSMENT LEVIED ON THE SENIOR CLASS.

BERKELEY, April 26.—An assessment of \$4.25 has been levied on all members of the senior class to defray the expenses of the Class Day exercises.

MRS. HEARST WILL LEAVE THE EAST SOON.

BERKELEY, April 26.—It is reported that Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst will leave Washington on May 5 for her home in Berkeley. She will be accompanied by Miss Clara B. Anthony of Boston, Miss Eileen Tone of New York, and Mrs. Howe.

REHEARSED CLASS DAY PLAY.

BERKELEY, April 26.—The senior

class today rehearsed the class day play and other incidental exercises.

A Poor Millionaire.
Lately starved in London because he could not digest his food. Early use of Dr. King's New Life Pills would have saved him. They strengthen the stomach, aid digestion, promote assimilation, improve appetite. Price 25c. Money back if not satisfied. Sold by Osmond Bros., druggists, Seventh and Broadway.

N. S. G. W. CONVENTION.
The Grand Parlor of N. S. G. W. meets in Santa Cruz, April 28 to May 2. For this occasion the Southern Pacific Company has offered a special rate of one fare and one-third for the round trip for attendants. Tickets on sale at all S. P. Co.'s ticket offices.

CHINESE SHOE STORE.
320 Eleventh St., Oakland. Special sale \$2 and \$3.50 shoes, selling for \$2.50 one week only.

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WHY VINING WAS RETAINED SO LONG BY THE RAILROAD.

GERTRUDE ATHERTON'S VISIT TO SAN FRANCISCO—HARRIMAN
AND THE RAILROAD MEN—DEMOCRATIC POLITICS—
RUEF, SCHMITZ AND THE STRIKE.

BY THE KNAVE.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Since the strike developed and the car men showed their ability to the traffic in a hard knot, a great many people have been asking why the railway management stuck so long to Vining. The man's unpopularity is phenomenal. You'd naturally think that a great corporation would have some natural defenders, but the city has been practically unanimous against the United Railroads, and all because of Vining.

It isn't that he has been hard on his men. The members of the big clubs care not a hang about the welfare of the street railway employees. But they all hope the strikers will win against Vining. He has roughed every one of them whenever they had to come into contact with him. Even men who are thoroughly unpopular themselves hate Vining. When they have written to him or had business with the company through him he has managed to get on their nerves so now they are full of glee at his discomfiture.

So it is very natural that people should ask, why is such a man kept in a responsible position? The fact is, Vining gets financial results. He has made for his roads a far better showing than his predecessors—and money talks. If things had gone along in the good old way, with the Southern Pacific, Market Railway system and Pacific Improvement Company all under practically the same ownership, with an old line Mayor in the chair, with the police and the detective agencies at the call of the railway managers, Vining could have gone on saving the nickels and making enemies till doomsday.

But things have changed. The big corporations are no longer controlled by the same men. They do not even pull together "as the associated villainies" any more. The Governor of the State will not call out the militia to help the company put down the strike. The Mayor, who is hand-in-glove with the strikers, will not permit the company to use the police or arm detectives to ride on the cars. So Vining finds himself and the old methods entirely at fault. Perhaps he now wishes he had been at least reasonably affable and polite. And, talk of kicking a man when he is down, why they're even saying that Vining, who prides himself on his churchly connections and his Y. M. C. A. lectures leases his land for a courting park, where the Sabbath day is broken wide open.

Quite a contrast to Vining is E. H. Harriman, head of the Southern Pacific. As an extender of the "glad hand" he is ahead of McCormick. The railroad men have liked him from the start. They hated Hayes when he came out to manage things. They declared he had the worst case of big head they ever had known. He swelled around among them, and they viewed him with amazement, hatred and alarm.

The fact is, Hayes had planned to get rid of all the "old guard." He was going to drag in a lot of new men. He didn't like the way things were run out here. Fillmore and Jack Wright were merely the opening overture to the general slaughter. Black Ryan, Major Hanford, Goodman, and the fiend only knows who all else, were on his list for decapitation. So no man felt sure in his shoes.

After the experience with Hayes the coming of Harriman was viewed with alarm. But since he has been here and looked around, a great peace seems

to have settled over the railroad offices. The heads of departments find that Harriman knows just what's what in railroadings, but he doesn't affect to impose on them the idea that he could run their departments even so much better than they do with one hand tied behind his back. He seems to think that California railroad men play the game very well indeed. So the chaps who have been in the employ of the company so long are settling back into their chairs and feeling more at home than they have since old Collis P. Huntington made and unmade railroad fortunes with the winking of an eye or the lifting of a finger. They say, "Harriman is all right."

The Democrats have opened their eyes in wonder at the tenacity of Assessor Washington Dodge in having Jim McNab arrested for refusing to give the poll tax collector assistance in getting the "two per" from employees of McNab & Smith, drymen. It has been supposed along that Gavin McNab had Assessor Dodge under his Scotch thumb. It was known that he had said a hundred times when discussing gubernatorial candidates, that Dodge was his first choice and City Attorney Franklin K. Lane his second. And Gavin does on his brother Jim, though Jim is a Republican, and campaigned for Sheriff on the G. O. P. ticket. The two men sink all political differences in their mutual love for each other. When Dodge had Jim McNab arrested, a lot of the "wise guys" immediately declared that it was notice to all the world that he had thrown off the McNab yoke. Ever since they have been casting about to find a cause for the quarrel.

Now, Assessor Washington Dodge is no man's man. He has a way of his own. Perhaps some one whispered to him that Gavin McNab asserted a sort of ownership of the Assessor's office, and perhaps the arrest of Gavin's brother was his way of asserting his independence. Or, perhaps there was another reason—the one which the politicians are quickest to jump at. Possibly the Assessor thought it was good politics to break with Gavin. You see, the Examiner has in use for Gavin McNab. Dodge is firm in the statement that he would not think of running for Governor unless the Examiner would agree to give him enthusiastic support. This business of running Democratic campaigns without the Examiner backing has been tried twice now, and both times there has been a failure and a legacy of debt.

Well, Dodge is credited with the notion that he cannot get the Examiner support if he clings to McNab, and so it is surmised that he has thrown over the boss in order to keep friends with the paper. Such a surmise may or may not have some foundation in the deep places of human ambition; but the fact remains that Dodge had Gavin's pet brother arrested and he didn't consult Gavin before or after ordering the arrest.

The first woman in the public eye just now is Mrs. Gertrude Franklin Atherton, the author, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ashton Stevens. Mrs. Atherton is a handsome woman as well as a brilliant one, and few people who see her in all her blonde beauty suspect that she is a grandmother. There is no denying the fact, however, and I don't suppose Mrs. Atherton ever thinks of denying it.

Her daughter Muriel inherited none of her mother's genius, and her mother seemed to despair of ever making anything of her. So she gave her up and in time Muriel married Al Russell, a "dressy" young clerk in the Spreckels employ. Naturally, there was a Russell baby, so Mrs. Atherton is a grandmother, though she looks anything but the part. Perhaps some Oaklanders will remember her as one of the Uthorn girls, whose

stepfather was Horn, the tobacco man. However, Mrs. Atherton has established her fame on a world-wide basis, and the people are eager to have her pointed out as she comes and goes. Her latest work, the story of Alexander Hamilton, woven into "The Conquerors," has had a great sale, and has materially added to her reputation and fortune.

She has come out here to rest, but fame has few resting places for her kings and queens. Olga Nethersole held hold of "A Daughter of the Vine" and was so taken with it that she sketched a scenario for a play in which she could star. Then she lured Mrs. Atherton into an agreement to write the play for her and so the brilliant woman's two months' vacation in California is to be broken by the necessity of writing that play.

Perhaps you will remember that "A Daughter of the Vine" was built on "The Randolphs of Redwoods," which appeared in the Argonaut in the Argonaut's most brilliant days, and gave Mrs. Atherton her first literary boost. The tale is founded on the life story of the Gordon family, who owned the beautiful property at Menlo Park, afterward acquired by Senator Stanford—the place where the Senator died. In the story the beautiful heroine follows the path of heredity and succumbs to the allurements of the cup that cheers and whoops. Olga Nethersole ought to "do a great turn" in that, and perhaps she can make the Nethersole booze as famous as the Nethersole kiss.

The next big work Mrs. Atherton will essay is something in Denmark and Brussels, for she intends going over there after she leaves California and there she will make her local studies, gather her facts, absorb her local color and seek for her inspirations.

Keep your eye on Abe Ruef and Mayor Schmitz. This strike is giving the Mayor a big boost, and Ruef is pegging away to win an independent delegation from San Francisco to the forthcoming Republican convention. If he can get that delegation well in hand, you'll find Schmitz an active and formidable candidate for Governor. The politicians have been slow to awaken to Ruef's scheming, but now they see that he is working very well. He took his big Primary League delegation in a special train to the San Jose Convention, but he brought it back again before there was any possibility of an entanglement. So he didn't tie up any candidate's ambitions, and he didn't offend anybody. Meantime he is handling Schmitz mighty well in a strike that is generally popular, and hundreds of men are saying that the Mayor would make a good Governor. Spreckels and De Young, and Otis would take him up if he were the only club with which they could beat Gage. So, take it for all in all, he is in a very strong position as a compromise candidate in case Gage cannot win through.

Beyond this there is wild Democratic fear that he will run on a Labor ticket, and split the Democratic tiger from tip to tip.

THE KNAVE.

A "Congregational Cathedral." An opportunity has opened before the Broadway Tabernacle, in New York, which rarely comes to any church, and which makes the pastor and officers of the Tabernacle a widely observed group of men. The congregational church with a cash balance of \$100,000 is quite a unique spectacle. And even after a third of the total is invested in a new site a remainder of \$75,000 is sufficient to support it. The pastor, Dr. Jefferson, feels that the Broadway Tabernacle must be a congregational cathedral. It must be pre-eminently a "city church." Its services must be frequent and varied. It must possess a large staff of workers, clerical and lay. He thinks there should be at least five assistants, each with a specific work. The so-called "institutional" features, so far as they concern the physical well-being and the entertainment of the public, he would eschew, but would have the church satisfy the full range of spiritual cravings. A leading feature should be the appeal to the student on the threshold of a high-grade life.

The designs for the new church are not yet in tangible form, but are shaping themselves about the idea which they are to express and help forward. Probably about one-half of the money now available will be put into the plant and the other half reserved as a foundation endowment.—From the Church Economist.

How Wine Judges Keep Sober.

If you have ever gone into a wine merchant's office and sampled different vintages you will have observed that the dealer never swallows the wine he puts into his mouth, but holds it there for a time while he lightly breathes through his nose. His palate tells him whether the wine is rough or smooth; but his sense of smell detects its aroma, and is largely depended on to determine its quality.

Of course, it is the brain to which the smell is communicated that is really instrumental in fixing values, and as the effect on the brain is only momentary, a great deal of wine may be sampled in this way without ill effects.

But when the wine is permitted to pass into the stomach, the fumes which arise from it continue to assail the brain as long as the liquor remains there in its original state, and if taken in large quantities results in fudding the brain.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

ANTI-SALOON CAMPAIGN IS OPENED.

Meeting is Held at the
First Presbyterian
Church.

STRONG RESOLUTIONS
ARE ADOPTED.

The Anti-Saloon League held a meeting in the First Presbyterian Church last night. Rev. E. E. Baker presided. The topics discussed during the evening were "Local Option" by Rev. H. J. Vosburgh, of the First Baptist Church; "Educational Influence of the Campaign," by Rev. C. R. Brown, of the First Congregational Church; "County Legislation," by Rev. E. E. Baker, of the First Presbyterian Church; and "The Local Situation and How to Meet It," by Rev. E. E. Baker, who spoke on this topic in the absence of Dr. Jos. G. G. of the First Methodist Church.

Rev. C. R. Brown, in speaking of the educational value of the campaign said in part: "The educational value of a campaign against liquor was more strongly presented to me in Massachusetts where the saloon question is always in politics. It has very definite value in that State as it makes the voters line up and ask themselves the question, 'Shall we license saloons or not?'"

"When the political campaign comes the citizens of the towns in that State wonder where they stand in the saloon question as well as in the political question. During the campaign many temperance orators are developed and do much to defeat the liquor traffic there. Young boys, not old enough to vote help bring votes to the polls, others button-hole their voting friends and all work in perfect harmony against liquor."

"Now what I would like to impress most strongly upon your minds, friends is the fact that we must work in harmony to defeat this great monster, liquor. For seventeen years the city of Cambridge, Massachusetts, has had no saloons in it and that's a city of 170,000 inhabitants. The reason they are so successful in keeping their city clean is because they all work together for one cause, to defeat the monster."

"I am of the opinion that we temperance workers waste time and money because we don't work together as we should. To stamp out the curse in our fair city we must do our work in harmony. I think that one of the great educational values of a campaign is that it develops temperance workers. Many men who drink wine at their table object to the saloon and what we want is to get these men to vote against what they think is wrong and harmful to a community."

After each topic ten minutes was set aside for discussion and many times during the evening the time limit was reached by the enthusiastic members of the league.

At the end of the meeting the following resolutions were adopted: "Whereas, Government by the people, through their properly expressed will, is the basis of the established policy of America; and

"Whereas, For the control of the nefarious liquor traffic the system of local option is the most general, popular and satisfactory under the flag at the present time; and

"Whereas, The National Government provides local option by the people of each State; and

"Whereas, The Government of California provides local option for the people of each county; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county should provide local option for the people of each township or precinct.

Resolved, That it is the sense of representative citizens of the county, in this convention assembled, that the time is now ripe for a popular and vigorous campaign to accomplish this end.

Resolved, That such campaign should be conducted in a fair and equitable manner, and that the securing of local option should be the primary object of the campaign.

Resolved, That for the promotion thereof we proceed to elect, in addition to the usual officers of the county Anti-Saloon League, a special committee composed of representative leaders, to be known as the Campaign Committee, which shall, with said officers, have general supervision and control of this campaign.

Resolved, That we respectfully suggest to this leadership that, in their consideration of other ways and means, they consider also two methods of achievement as follows: First, the securing of popular and potential mass meetings in the various parts of the county; second, the organizing of County Local Option Clubs in the various election precincts.

After the resolutions were adopted the meeting closed with the election of the following officers for the coming year: President, O. E. H. of East Oakland; first vice president, E. T. Dennis of Alameda; second vice president, E. P. Funt of Oakland; third vice president, A. M. Hayes of Berkeley; superintendent, J. M. Alexander of East Oakland; and secretary and treasurer, H. H. Gibbons of West Oakland.

One special object of the meeting was the organization of a campaign committee, those elected were as follows: Judge Stephen G. Nye of Oakland; Judge Young of Berkeley; Dr. C. W. Bronson of Alameda; Joseph Lawrence of Oakland; Thomas E. Russell of Hayward; and the county president and superintendent as ex-officio members.

Plain Talk About Mechanism. "Now, Mr. President," said a Congressional caller at the White House, "you will make this appointment it will help you to smash the Hanna machine in my State."

"But," said the President, "the Hanna machine is a good machine, it is not."

"Yes," answered the Representative. "Then," was the President's remark. "I think I would rather keep it and have it on my side than smash it."—Washington Post.

Its Superior. "Is he a master of English?" "Yes, to judge by the liberties he takes."—Detroit Free Press.

LIVELY TIMES AT RAILROAD YARDS IN WEST OAKLAND.

Many Vessels at Long Wharf—Work of Filling in Completed—Seventh Street Locals Will be Repaired—Personal Notes About the Men.

With half a million dollars worth of sugar on the way and a dozen sugar vessels in the harbor, Long Wharf presents a scene of activity in the sugar line that is unprecedented at this season of the year. Not alone is there great activity in the Hawaiian product, but other staples, such as coke, coal, lumber and general merchandise are being handled very extensively.

Sugar easily takes the lead this week, the gross value being upwards of \$150,000 for the week. Before the season has passed the three-quarter mark the gross receipts will have equaled last year's trade. From indications the sugar trade will amount to over \$8,000,000 for the season as compared with \$6,000,000 last year.

The California sugar pine trade with Australia has been resumed, and appearances indicate this year's trade will be greater than that of last year. Two vessels cleared this week for the Antipodes with sugar pine.

Several cargoes of Australian coal have arrived. They are consigned to interior manufacturing concerns. The coast lumber trade for the week has shown a marked increase over the previous week. Eight vessels in all have arrived and are discharging. The Pacific Coast and other distant points have contributed this week to the supply of coke for the Pacific Coast.

A feature of the week's trade is the heavy return shipments of machinery and merchandise to Hawaiian sugar ships. Cargoes to the value of \$100,000 were shipped during the week.

WORK OF FILLING IN
WILL SOON BE COMPLETED.

The huge undertaking of the Southern Pacific Company, the reclamation of thirty-five acres of tide water land, west of the machine shops, will soon be completed. The task may well be described as herculean and a few years ago would have been pronounced impossible on account of the time required to complete the job.

The entire thirty-five acres will have been raised out of the water to the extent of an average between seven and eight feet when the task is finished. About 15,000,000 tons of dirt will have been moved from the tidal canal and deposited in the filling.

The work has been progressing at the rate of about 160 cars per day. When the ground that was to be reclaimed was first marked out but little was known of the extent of the work, but from indications the new buildings and equipments will be erected at a much earlier date than supposed.

Any rumor has it that while President Harriman is putting the road in first-class condition all along the line he is not unmindful of the necessities of Oakland.

SEVENTH STREET LOCALS
WILL ALL BE REPAIRED.

All the engines on the Seventh street locals will be called in for the repair shops at the rate of two per week until all of them have been turned out of the shops as good as new.

The neighboring cities will not be neglected in the way of fine appearing engines. Alameda's engines will receive a general overhauling and will also be repaired. After this the Berkeley engines will receive their coats of paint.

MACHINIST M. JACOBS
WILL LOSE AN EYE.

M. Jacobs, a popular machinist at the West Oakland yards met with an accident this week which will cost him the sight of one of his eyes.

While striking a rivet with a hammer, a small splinter flew and struck Jacobs in the pupil of his left eye. The tiny piece of iron entered the eye-ball so far that the physicians did not dare to operate on the eye. As a consequence the luckless machinist is now without the use of one of his eyes. The other is also affected sympathetically, but it is not thought that the affection will be permanent.

MACHINIST UNION BALL
WAS A GRAND SUCCESS.

The Machinists' Union ball, given at Reed's Hall on Thursday evening, was one of the most successful affairs ever given by any local union. The event had been looked forward to for weeks and when the evening came there were many who availed themselves of the opportunity of having a royal good time.

The grand march was a very brilliant affair, fully 200 couples participating in the ceremony.

An orchestra of seven pieces furnished excellent music. Dancing was indulged in until the small hours of the morning.

NEW MACHINE IS
COMING TO THE SHOPS.

A new Ingersoll air compressor is coming to the shops at an early date.

It is of the latest pattern and is said to be the best compressor manufactured. Its dimensions are 20x24. The new compressor will operate the block switch system and will supply all the power for the air machinery at the shops.

SUPERINTENDENT BRUCE
WILL LAUNCH TWO BOATS.

Superintendent Bruce of the shipyards is preparing to launch two vessels. The first will be the Apache on Monday next, and the other is the Newark on May 7. Both boats have been completely remodeled.

The Apache will take the place of the Apache and will give Fremont Williams' ship joiners plenty of work. The other work in the shipyards, which will require immediate attention, is the barge Nicholas and Knight No. 2.

Large quantities of lumber are on hand to construct three freight barges to be used in ferrying freight cars to and from San Francisco.

FOREMAN BEALE IS BUSY
AT CREOSOTE PLANT.

The great building activity along all the lines of the Southern Pacific Company has necessitated hurry up orders in Foreman Beale's creosoting plant. All the ties and piles used by the company are treated here by a secret process. The present orders will be sufficient to keep the plant going at full capacity for ninety days.

Several hundred thousand ties will be turned out.

INTERESTING BRIEVITIES
FROM LONG WHARF.

The Sootra is loading California sugar pine for Australia. The American ship Shenandoah, which is the largest wooden ship afloat, is discharging ballast preparatory to taking on a cargo of merchandise for New York.

The schooner Rosamonde has finished discharging sugar. The Pleiades has arrived from Naimo with a cargo of 5,000 tons of coal.

The British ship Vimeira is discharging a general cargo. She is from Antwerp. The American ship Jabez Hawes has arrived with coke and coal from Australia.

The sugar ship Annie Johnson is discharging. The following lumber vessels arrived during the week from northern ports: Steamer Phoenix, Coos Bay River, Whitesborough, North Fork, Sofia.

The Sofia Christianson has discharged a cargo of lumber. The Grand C. Tobey is discharging Hawaiian sugar. The Emily F. Whitney is awaiting wharf room to discharge sugar.

PERSONAL MENTION OF
THE RAILROAD MEN.

Freight Agent J. W. Dickinson has returned after a vacation spent at Verdi. Mr. Dickinson states that the fishing was unusually good.

Frank Medeiros of the freight yards is on the high road to recovery. He was under the care of Drs. Wainwright and Clarke.

Mrs. F. W. Seher, wife of switchman F. W. Seher, has returned to her home on Eighth street, after a delightful visit at Austin, Nevada.

Charley Christensen, foreman of the material gang, was compelled to have a finger amputated yesterday. The finger was originally injured by being crushed between two car wheels.

Storekeeper Jack Muir is still absent from his post of duty. He is suffering from tonsillitis and will have to undergo an operation.

The stock of the store-room was taken yesterday. Engineer Reynolds is reported on the sick list.

Machinist William Delchmiller has left on a vacation to Pasadena, where he is being entertained by friends. Thomas Morris, engineer at the machine shops, is taking a well earned rest.

C. O. Burger, Assistant Storekeeper, is on the sick list. Foreman James Murphy of the plumbing department is laying the pipe line between the completed oil tank and the machine shops. As soon as the pipe is laid the engines will take fuel without leaving the round house.

Cyrus Larue of the machine shops has resigned his position to become a locomotive inspector at San Luis Obispo.

Engineer W. J. Skinner has departed for Oswego, New York, where he will visit old friends. Mrs. Chas. Latham, wife of Machinist Latham, has left on a visit East.

The pay car arrived and departed yesterday, having fattened many pockets. J. F. Cuthbert, the machinist at Mendota, who was very badly injured two weeks ago by an explosion of gas, has been discharged from the Southern Pacific Hospital in San Francisco and has returned to work.

The G. H. and S. A. private car Austin arrived yesterday with an aggregation of general passenger ticket agents. E. C. Gilbert, Assistant Master Mechanic at Sacramento, was a visitor at the yards yesterday.

C. C. Barton, foreman of the car repairing department, has left on a vacation. He is accompanied by his brother, who is a banker of Chicago. M. S. Moore was a visitor yesterday at the Oakland Pier.

Yesterdays the pay car visited the West Oakland yards and rendered the railroad employees help by the distribution of approximately \$200,000.

In the mechanical department alone there are over 900 employees distributed as follows: 179 engineers, 201 firemen, 523 machinists. The total that these men received yesterday was \$66,461.37.

As the machine shops employ only about one-quarter of the entire number of men employed by the Southern Pacific at the West Oakland yards, the entire monthly sum distributed amounts to something over \$200,000.

At present there are nearly 3000 men employed by the company, but this number is slightly in excess of the average, as many are employed as laborers filling in the tidal land, and doing other repair work out of the ordinary.

RARE LETTERS OF LITERARY MEN
FROM THE NEW YORK WORLD.

A three-page letter written by William E. Gladstone and giving the reasons why he was obliged to sell his collection of china was sold for \$95 at an auction sale of autograph letters by Bangs & Co., No. 51 Fifth avenue, yesterday afternoon.

A letter by Charles Dickens brought \$16. A letter by R. D. Blackmore, author of "Lorna Doone," to his sister sold for \$5.50. Blackmore's letters are of great rarity.

A kindly, charitable letter by Thomas Carlyle, 1843, to an author in distress, brought \$82.50. An autograph manuscript by Eugene Field fetched \$400. A note by Oliver Wendell Holmes, written on his eighty-first birthday, with a pressed fern inclosed from his home at Beverly Farms, sold for \$100.

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WALKS FOR HER HEALTH.



MISS ABBIE LEARY
(Photo by Belle-Oudry.)

Miss Abbie Leary Knows How to Beat Doctor's Bills.

Miss Abbie Leary is an Oakland society girl with a fondness for outdoor life, and a hobby for taking long cross-country walks.

Her favorite pastime is to tramp over the hills and hunt out all the odd corners and secluded nooks in the country roundabout.

Clad in a short skirt and stout shoes, she is a familiar figure doing the country in the rough.

She likes to be in the fresh air and enjoys walking much as other girls would a dance.

She has a theory that walking is an aid to beauty, and her bright, fresh complexion goes far to confirm her theory.

Miss Leary has become a notable performer in these long distance tramps, and practice enables her to cover a great deal of ground with little fatigue.

SHE WANTS TO BE EDUCATED.

Miss Helen Arent of Alameda Makes Record at University.



MISS HELEN ARENT
(Photo by Belle-Oudry.)

Her college debate in the Metropolitan Temple, San Francisco, for this evening, and urged that all give their assistance to the track team.

The student speakers were all limited to two minutes each. Those who gave addresses were: John M. Redman, Monroe E. Deutsch, William A. Powell, Alex. Adler, Miss Grace Woods, J. Raymond Carter, Frederick M. Allen, Miss Grace Barnett, Benjamin W. Reed, William Albertson, Fred P. Goodrich, Ralph S. Pierce, Lloyd A. Womble, Bruce Wright.

Most of the speeches were replete with humor and savor of the bright side of college life. Many of the seniors, realizing that they are about to leave college, waxed sensational, and told of their regret at the ending of their academic career.

MANY VISITORS COME TO OAKLAND

Twenty-seven excursionists participated in the "All Day for a Dollar" excursion of the Board of Trade yesterday. In the forenoon the party visited Berkeley and the State University, Piedmont Heights and Gardens, and lunched at the Metropole. In the afternoon the trip to Haywards was enjoyed. The party was made up of the following:

Matt Grimm and wife, San Francisco, Cal.; Mrs. T. A. Curley, San Francisco, Cal.; Alfred S. Proctor, Denver, Col.; O. K. Tyler and wife, Chicago, Ill.; N. Hoffman, San Francisco, Cal.; Miss Oletta Hoffman, San Francisco, Cal.; R. W. Dewey, Canton, Ill.; C. A. Alisky and wife, Portland, Or.; F. C. Hale and wife, Scotland, S. Dakota; Miss M. A. Derby, Canton, Ill.; Miss H. V. Dewey, Canton, Ill.; Anos R. Lawrence, Colasset, Mass.; Miss Eva E. Lawrence, Colasset, Mass.; H. F. Schetter, San Francisco, Cal.; S. A. Cooley, San Francisco, Cal.; Charles R. Haire, San Jose, Cal.; Mrs. C. T. Cutter, Malden, Mass.; Minnie I. Hall, Malden, Mass.; George E. R. Cutter, Honolulu, H. I.

From the Bay Times.

A curious story comes from Kansas of a man who thought of him without laying himself open to a suit for damages. So he hit on a plan of sending him a card with only one word written on it in a large hand, in addition to the date, obscurely tucked away in a corner. The person receiving the card recognized the handwriting, and, suspecting something kept them until they stopped coming, when he read them consecutively in the order of their reception. What he read was, "Ridiculous old Bill Jones is the meanest cuss in town," and he at once instituted a suit for slander against the sender. The latter's lawyer, however, called attention to the fact that the postal card containing the word "ridiculous" though mailed first, was dated the day after the date of the card having the word "town." Moreover, a careful inspection would show that after the word "town" was an interrogation mark, so that the series of postal cards might be made to read: "Old Bill Jones is the meanest cuss in town?" "Ridiculous?" He claimed, therefore, that instead of slandering the plaintiff, his client had been sustained by the court. But, all the same, everybody in town insisted that the first reading of the cards was the correct one, so that the writer attained his object.

STUDENT DAY AT COLLEGE.

Many Speeches Were Made by the Young Men.

BERKELEY, April 26.—The Senior Class of the University of California held its annual meeting yesterday, which was also the last University meeting of the term.

President Wheeler presided in the absence of President Eshleman of the Associated Students.

The session was largely attended. Considerable enthusiasm was lent to the occasion by the presence of the Glee Club, and on account of the fact that the speakers, with the exception of President Wheeler, were all students.

Before introducing the speakers, President Wheeler announced the in-

AMATEURS TO APPEAR IN ROLE OF MINSTRELS.

Young Men Will Give a Show at San Leandro.

MANY ARTISTS IN THE CAST.

SAN LEANDRO, April 26.—Tonight the mammoth Macrocephalus Minstrels will perform at St. Joseph's Hall. The event is one that has been looked forward to with great expectations by the citizens of San Leandro. They have been promised an entertainment, the equal of which is seldom seen in this district. The minstrels are first-class amateur comedians and should the show meet with the success it attained at its first performance which took place in East Oakland, the most exacting audience would be pleased.

The performers are all well known young men of Fruitvale. The affair is to be given under the auspices of the local lodge of Workmen. The program of the show is as follows:

Part I.—Grand Chorus, Full Company and Orchestra, Interlocutor, C. L. J. Smith, Bones—Melvin Moffitt, Albert Moffitt, Tambos—Geo. Kennedy, Fred Merrill, Master E. Smith "Mascott," Chorus and Orchestra—Ber. Chase, Henry Duckworth, Chas. Lund, Geo. Chase, Arthur Shaw, Geo. Lund, Accompanist—Mrs. C. L. J. Smith. Songs—"Aunt Dat a Shame," Melvin Moffitt; "Too Late," Wm. Hackett; "Baby Mine," Albert Moffitt; "When Mr. Shakespeare Comes to Town," F. Merrill; "Whistling Coon," Geo. Kennedy.

Part II.—Transformation Dance—Spanish and American, Walter Tancian; Negro Melodies, California Club Quartette; Musical Selections, California Mandolin and Guitar Club; "If I Were a Knight of the Olden Time," W. Hackett; Band Practice of the German Fifth, introducing the Celebrated Band, the Musical Glasses, the Acacia Quartette and the Wonderful Soloists.

To conclude with the laughable farce entitled "The Employment Office." Characters—Mr. Cartwright, the seller, Geo. Kennedy; Pompey Johnson, the buyer, Melvin Moffitt; Happy Hooligan, the loafer, Gust. DuBois; Fritz Pretzeli, a cook, Frank Merrill; Mike Rafferty, a slugger, Albert Moffitt; Mlle. Zaza, a leading lady, Walter Tancian.

CONFERRED THIRD DEGREE

Wednesday evening Eden Lodge No. 119, F. and A. M. held an enthusiastic meeting, and conferred on Messrs. Harry Ellis Cary and Joseph Oliver Cunha the third degree of the order. The ceremonies were conducted with the greatest care and those who received the degree were made well aware of the fact that it was a very important affair. They will not forget it for some time.

Following the business of the meeting a banquet was served at which Dr. Smith presided. Remarks were made by members of the lodge followed by a general social evening.

PURCHASES PROPERTY

J. Costa, of the firm of Costa & Andrade, has recently purchased three lots from H. J. Raykes. The property adjoins the Myers place on Callen avenue. It is the intention of the new owner to have erected on the place two new cottages.

HUFSTADT PLACE TO BE SOLD

The Hufstadt place on Davis street is about to be sold to Mr. McAuley. The property consists of nine acres with improvements.

INVENTORY OF CANE ESTATE

According to an inventory by M. F. Duff, as executor of the estate of Dennis Cane, deceased, consists of \$519.35 in cash.

HAS FILED CLAIM

Rufus Page has filed a claim of \$1,022 against the estate of the late Luc de C. Sequeria. The amount is alleged to have been due on a promissory note.

RICHARD POWERS RETURNED

Richard Powers arrived home from Cleveland on Wednesday. He has been attending a convention of the Trainmen's Association.

WOODMEN WORK AT FRUITVALE.

WILL TRY AND SECURE MANY NEW MEMBERS BY MAY 22.

FRUITVALE, April 26.—Thursday evening of this week Fruitvale Camp, No. 421, Woodmen of the World, held a meeting at which it was decided to meet on the 22d of next month.

The coming event will be held for the purpose of initiating some twenty new members into the Camp.

The present members have been working hard to increase the membership list, and the meeting in May will be the time when the work will be accomplished.

Following the initiation a banquet will be given in honor of the new members.

A special committee consisting of Dr. Callen, J. McArthur, W. R. Cowan and W. J. Jenkins was appointed Thursday evening to make all necessary arrangements for the coming event.

MRS. ROMPAGE VERY ILL

Mrs. C. E. Rompage of Fruitvale is very ill at the St. Joseph's Hospital in San Francisco. She had been sick for some time, but it was only a short time ago that she was removed to the hospital. Her husband is also in San Francisco.

TANBARK FOR BRIDAL PATHS

At the meeting of the Fairmount Park Commission favorable action was taken on the proposition to set aside \$2,500 for covering with tanbark a bridge path from the Fairmount avenue entrance to the McMichael statue.—Philadelphia Press.

WHAT'S DOING IN LIVERMORE.

Three Jolly Farmers Plan a Novel Scheme —Social Gossip.

LIVERMORE, April 26.—Believing in the old adage, "Tis an ill wind that blows nobody good," three Livermore farmers have joined together for the purpose of gathering a few stray nickels from the public of San Francisco should the strike of the street car men not be quickly settled. The three thrifty farmers will get together their best header wagons, fill them with nice clean straw, put a nice canvas top over them, and by using their best horses will run an accommodation bus line along Market street. They expect the novelty of a straw ride in the streets of the city will attract considerable attention, and they will reap a harvest of small change from this venture. It is possible a few cock wagons will be taken along, and the passengers be furnished with meals en route. This is going the street car lines one better.

The Odd Fellows will hold no general celebration in this vicinity tomorrow.

County School Superintendent Crawford yesterday visited several of the outlying schools in this vicinity.

The last installment of county taxes will become delinquent next Monday, and many of those who only paid the first are hurrying their coin to County Collector Barber to save the penalties.

Several car loads of wire are being hauled to the station for shipment to New York.

A shipment of several hundred tons of barley to Chicago was being loaded yesterday.

The almond crop is in fine condition and will be more than double that of last year.

The local committee of the Order of Hermann Sons are holding nightly meetings to make preparation for the Grand Lodge of that society, to be held here next month.

The Druids initiated over twenty new members last night. This lodge has received more new members during the past ninety days than any lodge in the state.

A large number of Eastern people have visited Livermore Valley during the past month, and there is hardly a day but that a dozen strangers are seen on the streets.

It is estimated that over thirty new incubators have been sold hereabouts during the past two months, the raising of a side issue will be carried on to a great extent.

BUSY TIMES IN PLEASANTON.

Excellent Fruit Crop Prospects—Railroad Repairs Washout.

PLEASANTON, April 26.—A very interesting base ball game will be played between the single men and the married men Sunday afternoon.

The fruit growers of this vicinity expect a very large crop this year.

Mrs. Joe Lewis spent a few days in Centerville this week.

The children of the Pleasanton public school are now rehearsing for the closing exercises, which will be held in June.

Mrs. Geyser has returned home after a few days' visit in Haywards this week.

A load of Berry cases arrived this week for Mr. D. Foley, who is constructor of the Pleasanton brass band. Miss Sarah Donnell of Oakland is the guest of Miss Minnie Breuss this week.

A Sunday School Convention was held at the Presbyterian Church today, April 26.

Henry Harms of San Jose paid a visit to Pleasanton recently.

Mr. Brown, better known as Babe Brown, of Oakland, was in town recently, fixing the telephones.

The Pleasanton Brass Band will give a social dance in the Nevis Pavilion Saturday evening, April 26, 1902. Admission, 50 cents; ladies free.

Mr. Allen of Livermore was in town Wednesday.

The farmers say this rain has been a great benefit to them.

Mrs. S. Trefry and Miss Hattie Hay will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society at the home of Mrs. Trefry, on St. Mary street, at their next meeting.

The railroad company has rebuilt the track that was washed out by the heavy rains just above town, and are busily engaged in hauling out the gravel daily.

British Joke.

A facetious Britisher in the Holland House Cafe recently remarked to a Press reporter: "I—er—see—that—er—among you—ah—hundred gentlemen of industry who met Henry of Prussia at Sherbrooke, there were a great many gentlemen of leisure, self-made, of course. And with all your boasted good-nature, one of the most prominent of these gentlemen has devoted his entire career to stopping the wheels of progress. By pursuing his hobby he has accumulated a vast fortune, estimated at \$40,000,000. Rather odd, is it not, that an American should grow so wealthy endeavoring to retard things?"

Of course, you know, I refer to George Westinghouse, whom I met recently in the influence of your famed plates. I've got by putting on the brakes. Haw-haw—New York Press.

Cash Paid in Advance.

From the Washington Star.

"Are you a brigand?" asked the traveler in Europe.

"I am," was the answer.

"Well, how much will you charge to steal me?"

"Why—we don't usually do business in that way. The question of fixing a ransom."

"This won't be any ransom transaction. This will be cash in advance. But you've got to hurry up. I've got my lecture learned by heart, and my magazine articles all written. All I want now is the advertisement."

HAYWARDS STUDENTS HAVE A RE-UNION.

An Interesting Entertainment Given in the Country Town.

NOTES FROM EDEN TOWNSHIP.

HAYWARDS, April 26.—One of the most interesting events in the history of the Haywards High School took place last evening, when the scholars of that institution, both past and present, held their annual reunion at the Native Sons' Hall.

The place was well filled with friends of the scholars. A program of great merit was rendered with success that showed the care with which the occasion had been arranged.

Following is the program: Piano solo, Miss Rita Slater; recitation, Miss Grace Webster; song, Mrs. J. Bardellini; recitation, P. J. Crosby; piano solo, Herman Eggert; song, Mrs. Bardellini; recitation, Miss Margaret Perry; piano solo, Miss Lulu Graff; violin solo, Miss Belle McCoy.

Following the exercises of the evening the floor was cleared and the young people danced until a late hour. The reunion is declared by all to have been the most interesting and successful ever given by the school.

HE WON THE MEDAL.

At the Demorest Medal Contest, held recently in the Presbyterian Church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., Dunlap Smalley won the prize with his oration on "The Temperance War Cry." The piece was well executed by the young man and was greeted with rounds of applause from a large and appreciative audience.

The speech was framed after the famous address of Patrick Henry. The contest was a very close one and the judges, Rev. W. E. Priddy, H. E. Brunner and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton of Oakland, found it hard to reach a decision. It was finally agreed that Smalley's oration was the best beyond a doubt. The other contestants were Misses Rose Hatch and Florence Lilekin and Harold Mansfield and Willie Booth.

Following the orations a program was rendered, which included a song by the Daphne Club, whose first appearance was greeted with loud applause. The members of the club are Mrs. W. M. Greenwell, accompanist; Misses Maud Lawrence, Ruth Brown, Vita Priddy, Mable Dunlap, Mamie and Nellie Ramage. The balance of the program consisted of remarks by Mrs. Mansfield, president of the local branch of the W. C. T. U., selections by the boys' choir, a male quartette, and also a female quartette.

CELEBRATED ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDermott recently celebrated the fortieth anniversary of their marriage. The occasion was observed with a party, at which a number of friends and relatives were present. The home of the couple was beautifully decorated for the occasion with flowers and ferns. An original poem, by Miss Mamie Brainin of San Lorenzo, was read by William McDonald, while Mrs. H. G. Cowing and Ed McDermott contributed readings. A most delightful time was spent by all.

GAVE A PARTY.

Tuesday evening of this week a party was given by Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Madison at their home in this place. The affair was attended by a number of friends and the evening was spent with games and music. Among the games played was pling-pong, at which a number of the guests are quite proficient. Those present were: Mrs. E. M. Owen, Misses Jean Duncan, Elzy, Ruth and Dorothy Brown, Tita Priddy, Francis Cooper and Grace Darling, James Cooper, James Cunningham, Thomas Graig.

DELEGATES TO GRAND PARLOR.

Tomorrow morning George A. Oakes and Oscar E. Walpert will leave for Santa Cruz to attend the Grand Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West. They were recently elected delegates from Eden Parlor and will represent the Haywards Parlor at the big convention.

The Haywards delegates will remain in Santa Cruz for a week and will be present at all the affairs of the Grand Parlor.

DECLARES DEED WAS OBTAINED AFTER DEATH

D. A. McDonnell, as administrator of the estate of T. K. McDonnell, yesterday filed an answer to the suit of Minnie Easter to secure possession of property on East Twelfth street, near Eighth avenue. He denies that the plaintiff has any interest in the property other than as an heir of the deceased. By way of cross-complaint, he alleges that the deceased, prior to his death, executed a deed on April 7, 1888, conveying the property in question to the plaintiff, but did not deliver the document to her up to the time of his death. After his death, it is alleged, plaintiff obtained possession of the deed and had it recorded. It is alleged that she had no right to the deed.

Not a Cheerful Outlook.

They laid the Kentucky gentleman on the operating table. His revolver was in his strong right hand. "Boys," he said to the assembled surgeons, "I know this is going to be a serious affair. But let me tell you something." And he tapped on his revolver. "If I have to go, I'll certainly want company. An' if you make way with me while I'm under the influence of your damned plates, I've got six sons at home who would be only too delighted to show you what they think of your lack of skill, in case it does lack. And they'd be prepared to follow you around from King's bridge to kingdom come until they even up things for the loss of their old dad. That's all. Cut away."

Perhaps it is unnecessary to add that the operation was completely successful.—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

A NEW VOTE.

Joseph A. Cianciarulo, a native of Great Britain, was admitted to citizenship today by Judge Melvin. His witnesses were Gustav Flack and William Stackhouse.

MISS MORGAN ON A TOUR.



MISS WINIFRED JUNE MORGAN
(Photo by Belle-Oudry.)

Violinist Has Made a Success of Her Concerts Away From Home.

Miss Winifred June Morgan, who made a very successful concert tour of Utah, Colorado, Texas and Arizona last winter, departed Wednesday night for an extended tour through the southern part of the State.

Miss Morgan is a young lady of rare musical talent, and her performances prove her to be a violinist of great promise.

She has already achieved a flattering reputation for skill and technique with the violin.

Her power of interpretation is highly appreciated by lovers of music. Her friends except that she will add very much to her reputation during this season's tour.

One Way of Putting It.

The justice of the peace was performing a marriage ceremony, and he was just naturally forgetful.

"Do you think," he asked, turning to the bride, "that you can give this man a fair and impartial trial?"

"I do," answered the bride, accepting this as a part of the customary form.

Just then the clerk joggled the justice's elbow and whispered to him:

"Oh, yes, of course, I quite forgot," said the justice hastily; then he added, solemnly: "Life sentence for both of you. Call the next case.—Chicago Post.

SHE WILL GO ON THE STAGE.



MRS. PERCY CARTWRIGHT
(Photo by Belle-Oudry.)

Mrs. Cartwright Will Try to Win Fame In the East.

Oakland is shortly to make another notable contribution to the musical stage in Mrs. Percy Cartwright, who will soon leave for the East to make her debut in grand opera. In addition to youthful charm and a pretty figure, Mrs. Cartwright has a vivacious manner and a strong, sweet soprano voice that has been highly cultivated by Professor Vailant de la Croix, who regards her as one of his most promising pupils. Professor de la Croix says she has a voice of great range and flexibility, and predicts for her a pronounced success in opera. Sometime before her departure for the East Mrs. Cartwright will sing at a musical

CLEVER PLAYS SCHEDULED AT MANY OF THE PLAYHOUSES.

Frederick Warde Will Appear in "King Lear" at the Macdonough—New Play at the Dewey—San Francisco Theaters.

One of the greatest treats in the legitimate line this season will be the presentation of Shakespeare's "King Lear" at the Macdonough Theater on Tuesday, April 29, by Frederick Warde, the eminent tragedian and his selected company.

"King Lear" is one of Shakespeare's greatest plays. Some insist and advance reasonable arguments that prove that it is the greatest of all the many products of the immortal bard's brain. Certain it is that this play most truly paints the weakness of vanity, and the injustice of those who demand abject and necessarily dishonest humility on the part of those with whom they are surrounded. The King is old, weak, credulous and vain. His two married daughters tell him in the presence of their husbands that they love him dearer than any man else on earth. With smiles and expressions of love he bestows his fortune upon them.

The unmarried daughter who refuses to gain her soul with the lie, denies that she loves the King with more than a daughter's love, and while paying tribute to his worth as a father breathes loyalty to him upon whom she expects to bestow the love of a wife. The weak, old man becomes enraged, and sends the one true daughter into the world bearing his curse and disinherited. As usual, when the time of trouble came, when the white-haired patriarch wandered through the storms, without shelter or succor, it was the disinherited daughter who came to perform the offices of love, and prove as true in ministering to his wants, as in telling him the truth when his vanity called for lying hypocrisy. In portraying these emotions, in holding up the mirror to those who listen with delight to the fawning sycophancy of dishonest courtiers and whose hearts turn cold at the sound of honest friendship—who are never so happy as when surrounded by flatterers, and never so unjust as when dealing with those whose friendship and integrity refuse to surrender to the ambition or financial gain.

"King Lear" is the master's glory. The picture which "Lear" presents is seen every day in the year. The action of this great drama is witnessed on the practical stage of life. The scenes are familiar to every man in the world—they are known to every woman who has been an observer as well as to all of the players, save only the victim. "Lear" stands out as a warning and a lesson—a warning to those who lean too much on the fulsome of flattery of dangling knives, and a lesson to those who are willing to gain worldly goods at the expense of honor. It warns the one to beware—the other to press forward with cringing knee and lying tongue.

In some of its great characteristics "King Lear" surpasses all the other Shakespearean dramas, and Frederick Warde is to be congratulated and applauded for having brought it back to the stage to which it has too long been a stranger, and revived it with such splendid conception and acting. The study of such a masterpiece is a liberal education in the salient phases of human nature and the more generally it is read, the fewer will be the disappointments, the heartaches and regrets, and the nearer will mankind approach to happiness. Mr. Warde considers the part of "King Lear" his masterpiece, and our theater-goers may rely upon seeing a grand performance, and a perfect production in every respect. Wednesday night, April 26 "Virginia." Seats are on sale for both.

GREAT PLAY NEXT WEEK AT DEWEY THEATER.

Next week the patrons of this popular house will be treated to a genuine melodrama dealing chiefly with all those human passions which keep the world moving as a tribute to the gaiety of those not immediately concerned with the plot and plotters.

"Trapped by Treachery" is the title of this melodrama, and the trapping and the treachery begin in the first act, and are kept up until the villain meets with his just deserts, and the wicked duly punished while the just are appropriately rewarded.

The plot hangs on the deception



MAXINE ELLOTT.

Popular Actress will be at the Columbia.

practiced by a polished hypocrite, and around it is woven a net work of interesting, exciting and occasional tragic situations that exercise an intense hold upon the audience.

Lander Stevens and Miss Fannie Gillette take the leading roles, and the entire Stevens' Stock Company appears in the cast.

"Under Sealed Orders" has been doing a land-office business this week. The advance sales indicate crowded houses for tonight and Sunday night.

NED HARRIGAN PLAYS AT THE GRAND OPERA.

After a season of phenomenal business the MacDowell-Stone engagement at the Grand Opera House comes to a close Sunday evening. On Monday evening the great and only Edward Harrigan opens a starring engagement in his celebrated plays. Mr. Harrigan needs no introduction to San Francisco audiences. It was there that he received his first salary as an actor, and later became one of the greatest favorites that city has ever known. He will open his season with his favorite play "Old Lavender." In this play Mr. Harrigan has an opportunity of presenting his best bits of character acting, personating as he does the pathetic picture of the generous-hearted hero with a dramatic ability, who has buffeted with the world and learned human nature in all its phases. The play has a strong moral and presents many humorous and pathetic scenes. The story is told with a fidelity to nature, characteristic of all of Mr. Harrigan's efforts. It will be mounted in the same careful manner that has made a reputation for the productions at this theater and the full strength of the Grand Opera House Stock Company will support Mr. Harrigan. A continu-

ance of the present big business is predicted.

THE FORTUNE TELLER STILL AT THE TIVOLI.

Still "The Fortune Teller" is doing business at the Tivoli in spite of the street car tie-up, for the people get around to the Eddy street playhouse just the same, and from their hilarity, do not seem to care whether they walk home or not. The opera is certainly well adapted to make people forget their troubles, for it is replete with fine music and clean-cut comedy. Ferris Hartman has a new verse or two every few nights, and touches on all the themes of the day. The "Singing Girl" is in preparation, but there is no knowing the exact date, as the present piece is in for a long run.

SLAVES OF THE ORIENT APPEARS AT CENTRAL.

At the Central Theater tomorrow night the last performance of "A Child of Fortune" will be given. It has had a successful run and will be replaced by another strong favorite, "The Slaves of the Orient." This is a fine piece in every respect. It will be produced by the full stock company and will be staged in a most beautiful manner.

ALCAZAR WILL GIVE "CRACK OF THE WHIP."

The pleasing melodrama, "The Two Escutcheons," which has been running at this house this week to large audiences will give way Sunday night to the thrilling play entitled "The Crack of the Whip." This will be one of the most interesting plays which has ever been produced at this popular house.

NAT GOODWIN AT THE COLUMBIA.

Enthusiasm of the first order has pervaded the minds of San Francisco theater-goers ever since the announcement was made that Mr. N. C. Goodwin and Miss Maxine Elliott would present their magnificent production of Henry V. Esmond's magnificent comedy "When We Were Twenty-one," at the Columbia Theater next week, beginning Monday night. Already theater parties have been formed and a most felicitous presentation is anticipated. Of the play much has been said both in the metropolitan journals and the street mouths. Sufficient is it to state that the play itself is one which every person will like, the fastidious and cultured few as well as the people at large; those who are to be reached only through an appeal to the natural emotions and those who require the finesse and finish of art. The comedy in "When We Were Twenty-one" will be found refreshing, human and lovable, then, too, the playwright has created in it a genuine girl of natural character, full of bubbling fun, strong, yet pure and young. Of course, the enactment of this role falls to the lot of Miss Elliott. Her portrayal of the part will be full of spontaneity and endearing warmth. The characterization essayed by Mr. Goodwin gives to that master of pathos many opportunities, and it will be found that he has improved in this, the rarest of his dramatic gifts. His touch is absolutely sure now and we are told that it is like listening to a strain of tender music to hear him read the letter from his dead friend entrusting the latter's orphan child to his care. Mr. Goodwin's climaxes will be found all powerful, emotionally full, yet firm. Nor will he allow himself to be handicapped by sentiment, on the contrary it will be noticed that he drops into comedy with perfect ease, and in the year of Dick Carewe gives us a natural man after the excited hero.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*

A MYSTERIOUS APPEARANCE

A Strange Event with a More Wonderful Sequel—Its Effect on the After-life of One Woman.

About six years ago a stranger, a woman, came to the little village of Wilsey, Kansas, to live. This was the important link in a chain of events which set the whole town wondering Mrs. Rachael A. Gardiner, the person whose life was most effected by it, tells the story.

"It was very strange," she says, "I never could tell what caused it and neither could anybody else. For a long time I had bad spells, with my stomach. The pain would commence about my heart and was so deadly agonizing that I would have to scream aloud. Sometimes it would last several hours and I would have to take laudanum to stop it. Besides this I had a headache almost constantly, day and night, that nearly crazed me and hemorrhages caused by the change of life, so you see I suffered a great deal. And when I think of the agony it still makes me shudder.

"Doctors, did you say? Their medicine made me sicker. I couldn't take it and I kept growing worse until this lady came to our village. She advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and I did. I only took a half box before I began to feel better and after the box was wholly converted to this wonderful medicine. It did me more good than I had ever hoped for. I kept on with the pills and now I recommend them to all who suffer."

The pills which cured Mrs. Gardiner have accomplished as wonderful results in hundreds and hundreds of other cases just as severe. They are an unfailing specific for locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, after-effects of the grip, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexion and all forms of weakness either in male or female. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold at all druggists, or will be sent direct from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., post-paid on receipt of price, fifty cents per box; six boxes for two dollars and a half. Send for free booklet of medical advice.

NATIVE SONS PASS RESOLUTIONS.

At a regular meeting of Oakland Parlor, No. 50 N. S. G. W., held April 23, 1902, the following resolutions in memoriam were adopted as follows:

WHEREAS, Death has removed from earthly life our brother, Chas. D. Little; therefore

RESOLVED, That we recognize in his life that fidelity to the obligations of family, society and the State, which constitute the true man and citizen.

RESOLVED, That we, his brother Native Sons, express to his bereaved relatives our tenderest sympathy, and affirm our hope and belief that death is but the curtain which hides from our present sight the next scene in the development of the human soul.

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be spread in full upon the minutes and published in the Oakland Tribune and Enquirer, and that a copy be engrossed and forwarded to Mrs. Little.

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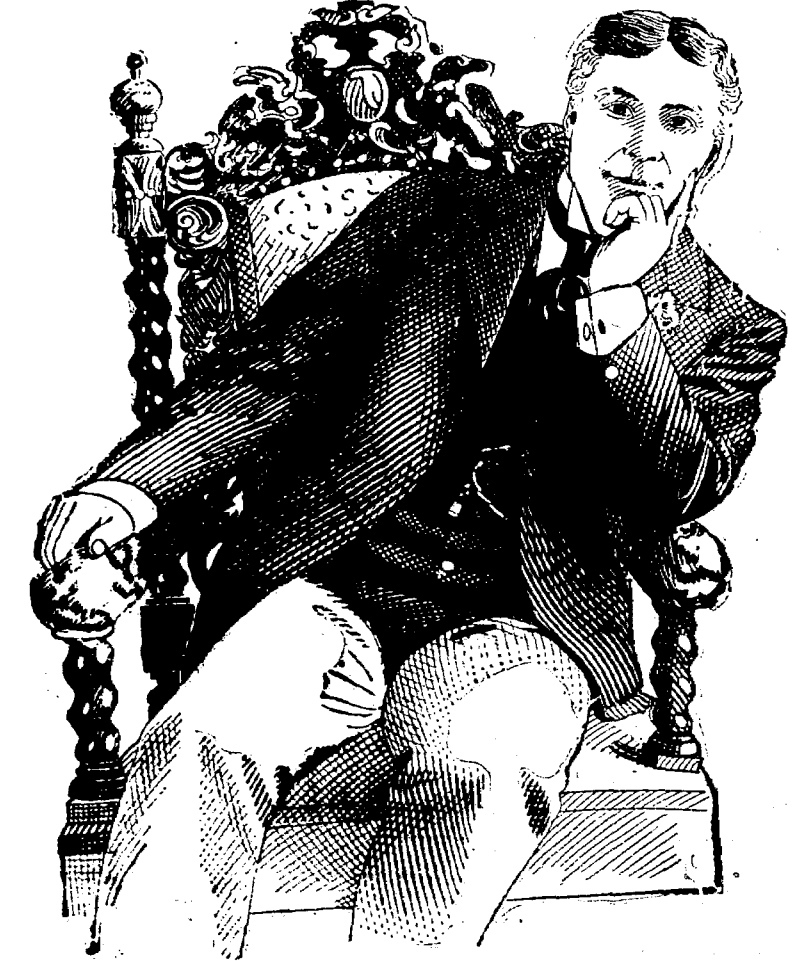
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GREATEST DANGER IN EARLY MARRIAGES

The greatest danger confronting early marriages is that in years to come, husband and wife are apt to grow apart.

Especially is this likely to be true when they commence at the foot of the ladder.

To the wife falls the greater burden of poverty. She must do the managing, the financial steering, as it were—and the work of the household as well.

In all probability she will have children. The task of caring for them will fall upon her shoulders.

These multitudinous duties leave her little or no time for rest and recreation, and frequently she neglects reading even the daily papers.

BECOMES A BACK NUMBER.

She becomes a back number so far as the world is concerned. Her aim

and object in life is to make both ends meet and get the dishes washed and house cleaned up before the family gets home from town.

In accomplishing these things she frequently becomes an old woman before her time. She has lessened her very capacity for progression and enjoyment, and prefers to lead a quiet, secluded life to the end, even though her husband's improved financial status would permit her to indulge in almost any pleasure within reason.

I have in mind a woman of about 50, strong, healthy, and decidedly handsome, with a family of two sons and one daughter.

This woman married a poor man. During the early years of her conjugal life she looked religiously after family affairs, and scrimped and saved in every way possible. Not only did she

rear the children of her own family, but took care of her husband's people as well.

She did everything herself, seldom or never hiring any one to help her, even in matters usually beyond the strength of a woman.

Meantime her husband attended strictly to business and prospered, as such men will.

Business contact with others broadened his mind and refined his manner. He advanced and progressed mentally. More than that, he learned to take some enjoyment out of life.

On his little business trips he would take time and money enough to enjoy the pleasures of the day. If there were a good piece being played at the theater he would go to see it, in conjunction with some famous actress or actor. Did an opera come to town by no

means would he pass it by.

CHILDREN OF COUPLE.

The children of this couple were given the best educational advantages, the boys both becoming professional men.

Today they are occupying positions of wealth, business and social standing.

The daughter was sent away to a fashionable boarding school, and returned home full of those accomplishments which modern girls acquire at such places.

She can dance, sing, play the piano admirably, strum the banjo a little, do a bit of fancy needle-work, and sketch in a fairly presentable manner.

The boys made homes for themselves in distant places, but the daughter, as do daughters the world over, for reason of having been taught a little of everything in general and not to excel in any

one thing, came home to live.

Did she emulate the gentle maid of whom we have all read, who labored upon lightening her mother's labors, and looking after the house? By no manner of means.

In the first place, her mother's hard, red, horny hands worried her, and the habit that mother had of clapping them together nervously and twisting them in her lap while talking nearly sent the daughter into spasms.

Again, the mother talked too loud, and the daughter spent many minutes in remonstrances, telling tales she had heard at school about the beauty of a low, sweet voice in woman.

DAUGHTER AND MOTHER.

All told, the efforts of the daughter to reform her mother socially, nearly gave the former nervous prostration, and she left home to visit an old school-

mate at the earliest opportunity. Later, she accepted an invitation to make a two years' tour of Europe under the chaperonage of an elderly retired school marm, her father meantime cheerfully putting up the cash.

The boys are not much better, either. When they come home on visits they long to alter their mother's manners and suggest all sorts of improvements, which she may practice during their absence.

Now, this mother is an intelligent woman, a little out of date, to be sure. She has worked hard but at present she keeps a servant and employs her leisure time in reading, attending lectures and indulging in other amusements which others of her station enjoy.

But said to say, she really doesn't care for those things. She used to years ago, but she has worked, grubbed

and saved so long that she feels out of place among people who have not taken life so seriously and feels best at home by her own fireside. That, too, when her children are away, for when they are with her she has an uneasy consciousness that they are piping her off, and so instead of helping, they only annoy and worry her.

So far as she and her husband are concerned they are miles apart. She calls him "Mr. C.," and he always addresses her as "mamma." She gets his dinners herself because he likes her way of cooking. She also brings his breakfast up to him while he's in bed, and waits on him religiously when he's sick, but where the companionship ends, Mother is kind of handy to have around, that's about all.

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A WOMAN'S LOVE.

Because, O love, I would be in your eyes

All truth, all sweetness, everything you prize.

Behold, I make a mockery of these, And dare your doubt by seeming otherwise.

Because, O love, I would not have you guess

The secret of my heart's vast tenderness.

I hide it with a mask of cruel words—

My lips were kinder if my love were less.

Because, O love, I would not have you see

How ever constant is the heart of me,

I smile in many eyes, on many men—

Most am I bound in seeming to be free.

Because, O love, I would in my own breast

Take any wound that you might be at rest,

I crucify you on a cross of fears,

Lash you with scorn and stab you with a jest.

—John Winwood in The Smart Set.

LINEN GOWNS.

Linen gowns both in white and colors promise to have great popularity this season. Blue, dull pink, green and beige are first choices in colors, and

some embroidery in white, even if it is only on the waist, is the modish decoration, with tucks and stitched bands in addition.

Hand embroidered polka dots and flowers with scalloped edges are one feature of trimming. Most of the linen gowns made by the tailors have a jacket and skirt worn with a white shirt waist, but the dressmaker's linen gown has a blouse waist daintily embroidered and finely tucked.

SHOES AND SLIPPERS.

Low shoes and slippers are keeping pace with all the other elegances of dress and it is evident that dressing the feet is to be a very particular consideration during the coming summer.

The practical walking ties of patent leather, suede and French kid lace up the front in the usual manner, but more dressy shoes of this kind show straps across the instep.

Large buckles and broad tongue flaps characterize the slippers of leather, silk or satin, and a pretty French novelty is a slipper of flowered silk with tongue and heels of patent leather. On the white satin slipper for the bride the tongue flap is of white lace.

PROPER NECKWEAR.

The timely interrogation, "What is the proper thing in the way of neckwear for this season's shirt waist?" finds a ready reply in the evidence of

stocks and collars with which the shops abound, especially adapted for the coming hot season.

Leading in favor are the white stocks, having the contrasting tie made in Madras, cheviot, or gingham, to match the shirt-waist which it accompanies. These ties are made long enough to knot as a four-in-hand, or have shorter ends, pointed, which are intended to be tied in a bat's-wing bow. A pretty conceit when made of the cotton cheviot, is to show in the tie the reverse side of the material as a contrast to the waist.

Stock and belts to match are sold in sets and are a charming idea. The collar is a high band of white linen stitched in rows, having the tie, which crosses at the back and comes forward to form the small bow, showing a contrast of pink or pale blue or sage green chambray. The belt is made of the colored material to match the tie, and is wider at the back than in the front, where it is fastened with a gilt harness buckle. It is stitched in several rows. The effect of these sets when worn with a white waist is extremely good.

CHOUX MUCH WORN.

Choux are much worn. They are made of every material from velvet to tulle.

The newest choux is known as "pussy" whiskers." It is made of some thin,

rather stiff material, and is not so high in the center of the back, but sticks out more at the sides, giving the effect of whiskers.

WOMEN GET GRAY.

A lady recently returned from abroad reports that at a certain fashionable gathering she noticed that nearly one-half of the ladies present had gray hair, notably some with decidedly youthful forms and faces. Perhaps failing any satisfactory results in the use of lotions and bleaching fluids, so universally advertised, or having destroyed the natural color of the hair by experimenting, women now propose to try the effect of white locks.

It would appear that after one has ever once viewed the effects of the harmful fashion of hair coloring—the seared and variegated hues, the black-and-tan heads, the lemon-hued craniums that look like a hurriedly prepared dish of scrambled eggs; the dead looking "Patti" and "Cleopatra" auburn and chestnut pates—that women would see the wisdom of letting nature alone in respect of their tresses. "Ye cannot change one hair black or white"—that is, successfully—but let the forced color look ever so fine for a time, the face of the wearer of the new shade will never look natural or right beside this artificial production, the environments being abnormal and false.

The shade of the hair that nature bestows is the only one that goes well with the features and complexion. The face of a child changes as it grows up, and from youth to womanhood and old age. Nature herself makes the necessary alterations in the hair.

AGE OF LACE.

In fixing the approximate date of any given piece of lace it is well to remember that machine-made thread was not used till after the beginning of the eighteenth century. Before that time the threads ran in lengths of about twenty inches, for the worker could stretch no further than her distaff, and had to break off and join again; so that if, after traveling some twenty-five inches of thread no joint is found, the lace is surely after the introduction of machine-made thread. The "bride's ornament" alone are enough to go by; in the fifteenth century the bar had only a knot or a dot as ornament, in the sixteenth a double or single loop, in the seventeenth a star. The edging also helps; a sharp angle in the scallop fixes the date in the middle ages; the rounded scallop came in with the nineteenth century; with the seventeenth a dotted scallop; the eighteenth century one is more elaborate, a large alternating with a small scallop, and dots along in the center of each—Connoisseurs.

FOR THE KITCHEN.

Peppers stuffed with oysters: Re-

move stem and seeds from green peppers and parboil the skins until tender, but not broken. Mix small oysters with buttered crumbs and seasoning as if for scalloping, and fill the peppers. Bake in a modern oven till the juice begins to come from the oysters. If the outside of the peppers is brushed over with oil or melted butter they are less likely to turn or dry while baking. The red Spanish peppers which come in cans do not require parboiling.

Oyster cutlets, croquettes and souffles are prepared like those from any other fish or meat, but the oysters are first parboiled, and often cut in bits or chopped.

Oysters in aspic jelly: Parboil a pint of medium-sized oysters, drain, then dry on cloth. To the juice which drains from the oysters add chicken stock to make one pint after clearing, the juice of half a lemon, a bit of mace, sprig of parsley, a few peppercorns, salt, and other flavors desired. Mix the white and shell of an egg with the stock, season, and heat slowly; then let it boil clear and strain carefully through a double thickness of fine cloth. To this add one-third of a box of gelatin softened in a very little cold water. Strain into plates, and when almost cold put the parboiled oysters in place, covering with the jelly. When firm and cold cut out with fancy cutters. Serve on lettuce and garnish with mayonnaise

dressing, or use as a border for a fish salad.

THE LITTLE GIRL.

A little girl in Waterbury, Conn., noticing cards upon houses in various places about the city, stating the presence of certain diseases, asked her mother what they meant. Her mother explained, and the child remarked mournfully: "We never have anything like that on our house." "You wouldn't want it, would you?" said her mother. "Yes I would," answered Miss Four-Year-Old. Some weeks afterward the little one was taken sick with chicken-pox, but was not confined to her bed. On Sunday morning the mother noticed an amused expression on the faces of people passing by on their way to church, and was puzzled to account for it. At last her curiosity was aroused that she went to the front parlor to learn the cause of the hilarity of the passersby, and discovered that the child had torn up a box and secured two large cards on which she had printed:

I HAVE GOT
CHICKEN-POX
BAD.

and hung one in each window. Then (Continued on page fifteen.)

Busy Times for the Women In the Clubs

On Wednesday afternoon last the Current Events and Wild Flower Classes of the Oakland Club both held sessions. Mrs. Roberts presided over the former, and Mrs. C. E. Cunningham had charge of the latter.

Mrs. Cunningham is an enthusiast in her line and is making her classes very successful affairs.

She has devoted years to the study of the wild flowers of California, and outside of the knowledge thus acquired she has reproduced from nature many faithful copies of our spring flowers, which are valuable aids in these nature studies, notably as the blooming time of most of these beauties of nature is necessarily limited.

THE EBELL CLUB.

Today the Ebell Society is installing a new set of officers. Only members are permitted to be present at this love feast, but that means crowding the auditorium to its fullest limit, for not many more than half the five hundred can possibly be seated. Mrs. Allen H. Babcock has charge of the program, which promises to be unusually attractive.

Its announcement was deferred until this week, and comes somewhat in the nature of a surprise, for Mrs. A. A. Penoyer has been prevailed upon to let the Ebell ladies present a pantomime

written by that lady, and entitled "A Feminine Moment." It will be accompanied by bright and catchy music, on the piano and violin, which will be rendered by Mrs. John L. Howard and Miss Kathleen Kent.

This pantomime will be presented before the Century Club of San Francisco at a later date, as Mrs. Penoyer is a prominent member of that club.

The Ebell officers to be installed are: Miss Mabel T. Gray, president; Mrs. J. R. Scupham, first vice-president; Mrs. J. B. Hume, second vice-president; Mrs. T. C. Coogan, treasurer; Miss Jennie Huff, financial secretary; Mrs. J. W. McClymonds, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Francis Dunwoody, assistant secretary; directors—Miss Mabel Thayer Gray, Mrs. M. C. Chapman, Mrs. J. R. Scupham, Mrs. J. B. Hume, Miss Jennie Huff, Mrs. J. W. McClymonds, Mrs. C. W. Kinsey, Mrs. Francis Dunwoody; membership committee—Mrs. Henry Wadsworth, Mrs. Warren Olney, Mrs. A. B. Nye, Mrs. G. W. Percy, Miss Julia Fraser.

Others who will assist are: Mrs. Kate Bullock, Mrs. L. F. Cockroft, Mrs. Vernon Waldron, Mrs. Milton Bulkley, Mrs. D. Henshaw Ward, Mrs. P. L. Adams, Mrs. Will Meek, Mrs. T. L. Barker, Miss Sarat Horton, Miss Mona Crellin, Mrs. Lillian Brown, Everts, Miss Florine Brown, Miss Geraldine

Scupham, Mrs. von der Ropp, Mrs. John Morton, Miss Harriet Knight, Mrs. J. G. Allen, Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas, Mrs. J. A. Folger, Mrs. Henry Wadsworth and Mrs. G. W. Bunnell.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

In an article about Women's Club Houses, published in the "Pilgrim" Bertha Darmans Knobe says that the Club House movement began in America 51 years ago, and at present many of the leading clubs own the buildings which they occupy. Inasmuch as the question of ways and means is always a leading one, it may not be amiss to tell how some of them acquired homes.

Now that Los Angeles is the mecca of all confederated club women it is interesting to know that the Friday Morning Club of that city occupies a building which was completed about two years ago, at a cost of \$15,000. It is a reproduction of an old Spanish Mission with an enclosed verandah and a great entrance hall extending almost the entire length of the building.

The Los Angeles Ebell Club building is modeled after a Greek Temple. It was erected by Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs.

EASTERN CLUBS.

To the Twentieth Century Club of

Buffalo, New York, belongs the proud distinction of owning a magnificent three-story building, costing \$150,000. This club-house differs from others in that it has a number of sleeping apartments for the use of members.

The members of the New Century Club of Wilmington, Delaware, formed a stock association when they built a home, and each member was compelled to take at least one share of stock.

Mr. J. J. Munson of Denison, Texas, gave the XXI Club of that town \$4000 toward a club-house, with the proviso that \$2000 more be secured from the citizens. This was done, and plans were drawn up for a \$12,000 building, the remainder of the money being borrowed. As the XXI Club is organized for the double purpose of mutual improvement and the maintenance of a public library, Mr. Carnegie afterwards gave \$1,700 to clear off the mortgage. They now have a library of 1,500 books and the club-members take turns in looking after the books. The club membership is only sixty-one.

There are any number of other buildings owned by Women's Clubs and scores of others are contemplating erection of quarters. In San Francisco several of the leading clubs have the matter under consideration, and Ebell of Oakland has already laid by quite a nest egg with that end in view.

WOMEN ON BOARDS.

To a question as to whether women

should serve on library boards, Mrs. Cynthia Little of Vermont, received the following heartfelt reply from a prominent Brooklyn man:

"No, indeed; keep them out of everything. Of course, they're capable—capable of turning the world upside down, business, medicine, law, the pulpit, they are welcome to that, postoffices, registers of deeds, superintendents of public instruction, mining experts, engineers, electricians, receivers of bankrupt firms, editors—and the trouble is, they are so blamed honest, and efficient that when they are once in they can't be got out and a man has no chance at all."

"Look at it right here in Brooklyn. That Woman's Health Protective is a perfect torment. Why, even the police are afraid of it. It won't let a spit dog run in the street, and a man can't have the privilege of spitting in a public conveyance or on a platform. Now, if they get hold of the libraries, I'll go through them with a wire sieve. They've made enough trouble. No, no, keep 'em down."

The corridors of the Capital were thronged with pretty women. This visitation of fair ones clamored loudly for Senator Depew of New York. They wanted to see him as soon as they trooped into the Senate gallery, and

when they had feasted their bright eyes upon his cheerful countenance they were happy. A few of them, more courageous than the rest, approached him for his autograph, and the Senator good-naturedly complied. That was the beginning of the end. All the rest of the afternoon Mr. Depew's fountain pen had no chance to rest. He wrote, and wrote and wrote, turning out autographs as fast as he could write them, and making more people happy than you could count.—Washington Post.

WOMAN QUESTION.

According to Mr. Ibsen, the two leading social tendencies of the age are the labor movement and the woman question.

WOMAN'S ALLIANCE.

The Women's Alliance of the Unitarian Church of this city has another Rummage Sale in contemplation, to take place shortly. The Alliance has been most successful heretofore in these sales and naturally have great hopes of the one to be, in spite of objections against rummage sales which have arisen in certain quarters.

DRESSMAKERS.

One of the most successful features of Pratt Institute, New York, is its dressmaking department. Miss Harriet Sackett is the director, and she found her inspiration in France, where

they have schools in which girls are scientifically and thoroughly trained for the profession of dressmaking.

No girl is taken into the dressmaking class of Pratt Institute under 18 years of age, and she must be a fair seamstress when admitted, and willing to work at least one year.

In addition to this professional course there is a home dressmaking course, adapted to girls who want to know how to make clothes for themselves and the members of their families, but who do not intend to take the work up as a profession. These latter classes meet only twice a week, daily ones being held for the others. There are also night classes for working girls.

At the basis of the training, and side by side with the plain sewing, drawing is taught—both free pencil sketching and water-color.

The pupils are obliged to reproduce the human figure, and must know how to make the best of a good or a poor figure by the art of dress.

Costumes are designed and their practical value tested.

When the students are far enough along they take up orders, working under the teachers' supervision.

The price paid, less ten per cent, goes to the student who makes the gown, many girls paying all their tuition this way.

POETRY THAT WILL INTEREST THE WOMEN

A REVERIE.

I think of you, my dainty love and sweet

When rising sun transforms with wand of gold

The hills which till he comes, are gray and cold

And with each wind that ripples o'er the wheat,

I wait a thought to you, fair love and sweet.

I think of you, my loyal love and true,

When leaden clouds, withholding all the light,

Make life seem one long, tempest riven night;

But with each blast that starts the storm anew,

I breathe a prayer for you, brave love and true.

I think of you, my only love, my own,

When dying day in opal shroud appears,

And streaks the sea and sky with crimson tears;

And though, alas, you're still to me unknown,

I think of you and wait for you alone!

—Francesca di Maria.

SONG OF THE FOREST HEWERS.

This is the joy of life, this truly marks

The eternal difference 'twixt quick and dead!

Aye, beat the rank vines down, for where we tread

Dear homes shall follow! How the panther harks

To the keen, echoing axe! Its rhyth-

mic fall

Sends him, still snarling, to his evil den.

Sing out, great fertile fields! The sons of men

Shall kill the choking briars, and the tall

Oaks of the heavy years that trod you down

And barred the happy sunshine shall give place

To clover lands where golden bees may trace

Their paths among the blossoms. The blithe sound

Of quail shall now replace the sullen howl

Of ravens' beaks. Throb pulse, and laughing eyes

Answer each other! Let the rich surprise

Of new made blood, untouched by humors foul,

Add strength to strength. Oh, beautiful wide earth,

How riotously sweet the tasks you give!

And how may we who in such pleasure live

Express the half of what we feel life worth?

—Clifton Dangerfield in Munsey's Magazine.

WHEN WE MET.

I met her after many years.

We'd called it final when we parted—

Some angry words, some bitter tears,

And I, at least, was brokenhearted.

She had not changed; her eyes of brown,

I thought seemed tender when we greeted.

I'm rather shiny on the crown,

But—well, I'm not at all concealed.

Constrained, we talked of this and that

The latest plays and books, the weather,

And through the small, disjointed chat

I thought of when we were together.

At last of that last time I spoke

I think with evident emotion.

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AMUSEMENTS.
Dewey—"Under Sealed Orders."
Alcazar—"The Two Escapades."
Columbia—"David Garrick."
California—"Captain Letterblat."
Tivoli—"The Fortune Teller."
Grand Opera House—"The Empress Theodora."
Central—"A Child of Fortune."
Orpheum—"Vaudeville."
Oakland Race Track—Races today.

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.
April 27—Star of Finland of San Francisco, to 11 P. M.

SATURDAY.....APRIL 26, 1932.

GENERAL NOTICES.

OAKLAND BOTTLE AND IRON YARD.
L. Berovich, prop'r. BUYS AND SELLS bottles, bags, rags, iron, metal, etc. on first and second floors, Tel. Main 65.

ANTIQUE—Furnishings repaired and repolished by H. Strecker, cabinet maker, 925 Franklin st., bet. 9th and 10th sts. Tel. Main 65.

THE highest price paid for second-hand—clothes, furniture, etc. by the Tribune office and I will call.

LADIES—Our harmless remedy for delayed or suppressed periods; cannot fail; free. Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

OAKLAND WINDOW Cleaning Co. 615 Broadway, order box 5. W. Corner Twelfth and Broadway; cleaning show cases, looking glasses, windows, paint, floors scrubbed. Tel. Main 65.

MALE HELP WANTED.

TRAVELING SALESMAN of ability to open new accounts with best trade on very strong and new proposition. Will take back up on commission. Splendid opportunity to right man. Box 175, Cleveland, Ohio.

SALESMAN—Wanted, hustling salesman for California; by well established wholesale house; high commission; contract with \$25 weekly advance while traveling. Jess H. Smith Co., Detroit, Mich.

BIKES—To ride and exhibit our wheels in store time; free wheel and show in cash. Big proposition. Write today. Cash Buyers Union, Chicago.

WANTED—Young man, traveling position, experience unnecessary, salary \$50 month, cash, big proposition. Write today. Cash Buyers Union, Chicago.

WE PAY \$20 a week and expenses to men with right to introduce our poultry compound; send stamp. Javelle Mfg. Co., Dept. 4, Pasadena, Calif.

WANTED—Several cigar salesmen; experience unnecessary; good pay. Emporium Company, Station J, New York d.

WANTED—Reliable boy over 16 to work in family liquor store. Box 76, Tribune office.

WANTED—An experienced bookkeeper. Apply to J. H. Smith & Co., 12th and Clay sts., Oakland, Calif.

A DISTILLER wanted to take exclusive agency for a five cent article; sells by boys on streets; right man can make big money. Address Virginia, Napa, Cal., 127 Market St., San Francisco.

WANTED—Carpenter; long job. Apply to Nelson & Fraser, Martinez.

RESPONSIBLE boy wanted to drive wagon and take orders for oysters. Apply Oakland Oyster Company, 423 1/2 street.

WANTED—A good solicitor for newspaper work. Address box 32, Tribune office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

JAPANESE day worker; window cleaning, sweeping and all kinds of general housework; to keep gardens in order. Frank Y. Shibata, 1124 Webster st., corner Thirteenth st.

MAN wishes work by day or by contract as gardener or any kind of work. Box 71, Tribune office.

JAPANESE Day Work Co.—Competent help of any kind. 406 Telegraph st., telephone Main 82.

JAPANESE AND CHINESE Employment Office—first-class help of every kind; tel. black 2432; 415 Seventh st. g.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GOOD lady agents wanted; salary or commission. 509 Fourteenth.

WANTED—Girl or woman to assist with general housework. S. E. corner 41st and Adeline.

A GIRL for cooking and general housework; wages from \$20 to \$25. 1180 Eighth st.

WANTED—A competent woman for general housework; small family; wages \$25. Apply at 1607 Telegraph ave.

WANTED—Girl for general housework and plain cooking in family of three. Wages \$30 to \$35. 1725 Euclid ave., Berkeley.

YOUNG LADY wanted to work on coats and vests; must be first class. Oakland, e.

A GIRL for general housework; plain cooking. 122 Myrtle st.

WE CAN GIVE two energetic ladies profitable work selling Racine hosiery and feet. In Oakland. Adams, 214 Pine st., San Francisco.

AGENTS WANTED.

THE LIFE OF DR. TALMAGE, by his son Louis Albert Talbot, D. D., is the only authoritative book; agents wanted. Occidental Pub. Co., 13th ave. and E. 12th st.

LIFE OF TALMAGE—By his son; large, fully illustrated; low prices; best terms; freight paid; credit given; outfit free. L. W. Ziegler & Co., 215 Locust st., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Rider agents to ride and exhibit sample 1932 model bicycle and distribute 1,000 catalogues in payment for it. Write for catalogues and particulars. T. W. MEAD CYCLE CO., Chicago, F.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

HOUSEKEEPING suite; 911 Grove st.; no children.

SUNNY furnished or unfurnished rooms, 100 Broadway, cor. 12th.

TWO furnished rooms for housekeeping, 414 Fifteenth st.

TO RENT—Two rooms partly furnished, at 1120 Chestnut st.; quiet couple.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 1600 Clay st.

HOUSEKEEPING—2, 3 or 4 rooms, neatly furnished, 128 Clay, cor. 15th.

FURNISHED rooms with or without board; near Oak st. station. 833 Madison street.

JACINTA HOTEL—222 San Pablo ave. furnished housekeeping rooms; or single; reasonable; quiet and central.

2 ROOMS; latest improvements; 210 9th st.

FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping; telephone, gas, bath; one block from Oak street station. 826 Madison st.

FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms; housekeeping; also single rooms. 215 East 12th.

EAST OAKLAND—Large sunny furnished unfurnished rooms, 235 E. 12th st., cor. 7th ave., near Clinton station.

A DESIRABLE suite of housekeeping rooms; rent reasonable; apply 5612 Broadway, near Osgood's drug store.

THREE sunny connecting rooms, partly furnished, bath, hot and cold water, 2102 Elm st., near 31st and Telegraph.

NICELY furnished sunny rooms for housekeeping; with gas stove. 550 East 13th st., East Oakland.

THREE furnished rooms for housekeeping. 518 31st st.

SUNNY housekeeping rooms; nice yard; children taken care of by month. 535 24th st.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; sunny; central; reasonable. Palmer House, 123 Broadway.

LARGE sunny parlor handsomely furnished as a bedroom; to responsible man and wife or single gentleman; also single sunny rooms. 541 19th st., bet. San Pablo and Telegraph aves.

403 SAN PABLO AVE.—Nicely furnished suite, with gas range, bay window, etc.

PALMER HOUSE—124 Broadway; sunny; furnished rooms; all conveniences; also rooms single or en suite.

SUNNY suites for housekeeping; single and double rooms. 524 10th.

HOUSEKEEPING room, also single rooms; convenient to trains; central; low rent. 418 16th st., near Broadway.

SIX rooms; bath, barn and basement in good condition. Owner, 105 4th st. n.

GERMAN HOUSE—84 Washington st.; sunny rooms 5 to 10; front housekeeping rooms with gas stove \$10 to \$14.

"THE BVA"—25 Thirteenth st., between Washington and Clay; new and modern structure; nicely furnished rooms; transient; reasonable.

"OAK LAWN"—715 Eighth st., cor. Castro; select boarding house; thoroughly renovated and newly furnished; midday lunch a specialty; everything first class and reasonable; phone Brush 757.

ARLINGTON HOTEL—Ninth and Washington; European, 50c to \$1.50; American, \$1.25 to \$2; week, \$1.50 to \$2; special rates to families; good food; all street cars pass door; two blocks from broad gauge. Al. W. Willis.

BUSHEL HOUSE—Thoroughly renovated; new management; rooms single or en suite. 1008 Broadway.

PORTLAND HOUSE—62 Ninth st., between Broadway and Washington; fully furnished rooms; suites, \$2.50 to \$4.50; single rooms, \$1 to \$2 per week; transient; 2c to 8c; large front suites for offices; phone Grove 945.

PLEASANTLY situated sunny rooms; modern. 924 Filbert st.; phone Green 482.

TO LET—HOUSES UNFURNISHED.

MODERN nine roomed house, porcelain tub, new cooking, fine garden, 1422 Myrtle st.

3-4 room cottage; near local.

3-4 rooms and bath; East Oakland.

3-4 room flat; 4 r.m.s.; splendid location.

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E. J. STEWART & CO., 1008 Broadway, Near Tenth Street.

LOOK THESE PLACES UP.

3-4 small cottages; West st.; close in.

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2-3 rooms; best location in town. \$1,500—25 rooms; fashionable; private. \$1,200—21 rooms; with restaurant; snap. \$1,000—20 rooms; housekeeping suites. \$1,000—14 rooms; in town; fine. \$1,000—14 rooms; close in; private house. F. E. PORTER, 406 Eighth Street.

MONEY TO LOAN.

LOANS on furniture, pianos, jewelry or stock; low rates; private. J. H. Edson, room 3, 109 Broadway, Oakland.

A. W. BERRY—455 Ninth st.; \$5,000 at 6% interest; loans made on pianos, furniture, jewelry, life stock. If you need money see A. W. Berry, 455 Ninth st.

MONEY LOANED on furniture, pianos, etc. 1 per cent up; real estate 8 per cent. F. Kings, 455 Ninth st. Bldg. 2.

FROM \$100 UP—Any amount—Du Ray Smith, 250 cent of records, conveyance and N. P., 455 Ninth.

LOANS—\$50 up to \$5,000; low rates. SALS-BURY 455 Ninth St., Oakland.

MONEY in sums to suit lent on real estate. McKean, 455 Eighth st.

LOANS on furniture, pianos, in Oakland, Oakland, Berkeley; no removal; public utility; 5% interest; terms 1 to 2 years. Oakland Loan and Trust Co., room 25, 100 1/2 Broadway; hours 10 to 3.

LOANS on Real Estate and on furniture or pianos, with or without removal, in Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley; any amount; lowest rates; all business confidential. Call or write to Becker & Co., 36 Geary st., room 36, San Francisco.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—A small fox terrier with metal collar; owner can have the same by applying at 70 Twelfth st.

EXPRESS WAGON, horse and harness for sale cheap. 685 Telegraph ave. 2.

LOST—A "bona" at Dewey Theater, or somewhere on Twelfth st., Thursday evening. Return to 172 Gess, W. Oakland, and receive reward.

LOST—Yellow and white collie dog. Return to F. Barnett, 533 Eighth st., Oakland, and receive reward.

STRAYED—From 655 Fourth st., Scotch collie dog; marked in red and white; reward.

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BLUE CLOTH WITH A SMART LACE COAT.

Timely Talk on Belts and Girdles.

Since sashes are the modish decoration for all manner of fancy gowns, the tailor girl would like to know what she is going to wear with her trim shirtwaist and canvas or linen skirt.

Fussy roses and long streamers are, of course, inappropriate with this style of dress, and nothing remains but a smart leather belt to conceal the joining of blouse and skirt. It would be something of a delight if one might chronicle a novelty in the way of belts, but there is nothing particularly new, and it is impossible to say whether they shall be broad or narrow, for both styles are worn. As a matter of fact, as many of one kind as of the other are seen.

Broad elastic belts, which have long been fashionable in Paris, are becoming more and more popular here, and this season they are much prettier and more effective than the straight, broad band worn last year. Instead of being of the same width all around, the newest belts are woven so that they are much broader at the front than at the sides, or else the belt consists of three inch-wide strips of elastic, which slip under a short metal slide at each side and then separate, so as to leave a small space between each strip as it enters the long fancy buckle.

Many of the black, white and gray elastic girdles are handsomely studded with nail-heads or cabochons, though a much newer effect is secured through having silver or gold threads woven in with the silken outer covering.

The arrangement of buckle and slides gives the waist a very ornate appearance, for many of the smartest belts are supplied with sets of four handsome embellishments. At the front a long, narrow clasp of chased or enameled metal extends over the skirt in a slight point. The ornament at the back matches this in design, though it may be either a slide or a smaller reproduction of the buckle. The two slides worn at the sides are quite narrow and are slightly curved to fit the figure. The effect of such a belt comes nearer being that of a regulation girdle than any we have seen for some time.

White elastic belts are really beautiful and worn less often than the black. The mountings for these pretty affairs are frequently of dull silver or else gold filigree set with rich stones. Corals are charming and unique, and the combination of pink and white is very dainty for a light veiling or linen skirt.

Black belts display the finest of steel cabochons, with glittering cut buckles to match. Slides appear upon all kinds of belts except the plain leather ones and a very few straight round canvas or linen ones.

Even the plain silk and moire belts have their sets of three fancy slides matching the larger buckles.

Silk belts are made with soft folds, which broaden at the back and narrow considerably toward the front.

Soft white silk, with gold mountings, makes a smart accessory for duck and linen frocks, and if the belt is quite narrow in front, then the buckle is merely a tiny clasp.

A beautiful white silk folded girdle had a broadly pointed clasp, made of dark blue

enameled bars, fastened together with pearls. The ornament at the back was somewhat smaller, but of the same pattern as the buckle, while the two slides were much narrower, and extended the full width of the belt, which was only two inches at this point.

Many of the black belts are trimmed with rows of stitching, either in white or black, while the white show the rows of black machine work.

At the jeweler's lovely gilt belts are noticed, and these are finished with handsome clasps of gold set with gems.

Main gilt girdles are run through these beautiful buckles, though more fancifully woven bands, showing patterns in colors, are shown. While many buckles are elaborate both in shape and setting, there seems to be a special preference for the simple style. For instance, the plain harness buckle of chased gold or richly studded design is quite the smartest effect to be secured.

A certain stylish little belt, designed to attract the sport-loving young woman, really the one with a particular fondness for horses, has the buckle fashioned from a bit. The belt itself is a narrow leather band, with an oval slide at the back, while across the front, for the width of at least four inches, there extends this horse argument.

A plain suede belt, of either black or gray, is very smart with one of these buckles made of genuine metal.

One Parisian novelty in the belt line is made of coarse twine. Instead of having slides at the back and sides, the strands are woven into narrow laces, while between these the twine is simply laid in unconfined form, and is held at the front by means of smart suede straps and buckles. Such a style is particularly suited for wear with a linen canvas suit.

A very open mesh canvas forms some charming new English novelties, and these are displayed in all the solid colors, as well as in plaids. Since the revival of gay tartans these little accessories are considered extremely chic. They are cool and smart looking and make a neat finish for tailor costumes. The soft, open band is drawn through a small gold buckle, which is the only ornament the belt displays.

Without doubt, leather belts will always be popular, and there is scarcely any change noticed in this season's offerings.

Straight, narrow bands of suede or sea-cow have proved themselves extremely satisfactory, so the tailor girl doesn't desire extreme novelties in this line.

Perhaps the newest belts are a trifle broader than last year's, but the buckles appear about the same. More white leather, both in suede and sea-cow, will be worn, and the trimmings for them invariably are of gold.

It is a pleasure to announce that those hideous, pointed affairs, furnished with a double set of buckles and straps, are no longer displayed either in the shops or adorning slender waists.

This year, to be altogether modish, choose either a pretty fancy elastic girdle or else a plain, smart leather band, with a buckle to match it in simplicity or design.

SPRING CLOTHS, LACE & SASHES BY Pretty Paris Fashions

BY ELISE DEY.

PARIS, Saturday.
We are already beginning to don our springtime garb. Along the Champs Elysees trees are putting forth fresh green shoots, and occasionally one sees whole magnolia trees in bloom. The early races brought out many lovely women, beautifully gowned, and now spring modes may be considered fairly established.

Nothing astonishing in the way of novelties was noticed, yet all, including hats, dresses, shoes and dainty hosiery, were lovely, if possible, than ever before.

One may conclude from this that a point almost the perfection of artistic dressing has been reached. Women are always eager to improve upon fashions suggesting a change here, a slight variation there, until the whole is satisfactory as well as beautiful. This absence of radical difference argues well for modistes and equally well for variety-loving devotees of fashion.

Skirts trail as much as ever and waists blouse slightly, while belts describe a gentle and graceful curve, instead of the less becoming point, which was worn in such exaggerated styles. Sleeves, however, exhibit more pronounced fulness; in fact, they are extremely "buzzy" from elbow to wrist, though fitting closely at the hand.

Long shoulders are in vogue and all trimming is put on to accentuate these lines. Colors still appear as a part of the corsage instead of a bit of applied trimming, while sashes figure prominently on all manner of gowns. Upon this rather unimportant adjunct countesses seem to lavish an unusual amount of attention and unless the sash is a decided contrast to the rest of the gown, it invariably follows out the general trimming scheme.

On lace and thin silk dresses the sash usually reaches far down the skirt, the two ends of proportionate length being finished across the bottom in a point. Sometimes trimming is applied on the same lines. For instance, a lace gown which has its under flounces of pale blue mousseline, trimmed with three rows of pleated blue ribbon, will have the sash end ornamented with three rows of the ribbon applied in the same manner. Tiny mousseline frills or ruffles make an effective ornamentation, and appliques of lace are a natural suggestion when a bit of this trimming appears on the dress.

A very pretty novelty was a sash of pink liberty, with the long ends rounded off instead of pointed. All around the edges were tiny chiffon roses in pale pink, and at the back of the waist, where the streamers fastened, were clusters of these same delicate flowers.

Sashes the Chief Trimming.
Mousseline and crepe sashes, both plain and dovelled, often supply the chief trimming of gowns, especially for youthful persons. The long, soft streamers are be-

coming and girlish-looking and are particularly appropriate for summer frocks. Batiste belts and streamers fold softly about the waist and fall in charming undulations over trailing skirts. Some very pretty sashes of shorter length are noticed on both airy and woolen dresses. The material, whether of silk or to match the frock, is tied in a loose loop at the back and then two ends are permitted to fall about 18 inches down the skirt.

Jeweled and enameled ornaments are important in the arrangement of these sashes. Sometimes the front is held by two diagonally crossed straps of the sash material, and the ends of these are caught under rhinestone, turquoise or some other equally handsome button. At the back four more ornaments will usually appear, placed in the same manner as the other.

Naturally, the cost of the gown may be materially increased by the addition of such beautiful and expensive trimmings.

With the rage for lace increasing every minute we are having much to do to keep pace with this lovely and extravagant mode. One of the newest wrinkles is having the fine or coarse meshes dyed to match the dress fabric. An example of this is a pale gray crepe meteor, with its finely tucked skirt set upon a yoke of flit lace in exactly the same shade as the crepe. The yoke rounds prettily over the hips, then extends down the front in a long, narrow point. The corsage is trimmed in the same gray meshed flit, so that not another note of color is in evidence to break up the harmony of pearl gray. Ecru gowns are treated to the same kind of trimming, while even blue, both dark and light, display lace incrustations to match.

Plaid trimmings are very modish just now, and many of the newest linen dresses have cravats, and even belts, of Scotch tartan. It is something since these effective plaids have been used, and everyone will find pleasure in seeing them again displayed among fashionable novelties. Plaids are really extremely smart, and they also become very dressome, which accounts for

their long retirement. Besides chic plaid stocks and ties, which are being shown in the shops, there are all manner of pretty little accessories, even including tartan sunshades. A tiny bit of bright plaid taffeta is used with excellent effect upon the Armand model on this page. This costume is made of dark blue woolen veiling upon a foundation of thin silk to match. The skirt is decidedly unique in its arrangement of curving folds and fan platings. Down the front its entire length there extends a double box plaited panel, and from each side of this panel, about eight inches from the top, there starts a rounding fold of the material, which curves first downward, then slightly upward, as it crosses the back of the skirt.

Above this stitched fold, which comes to a sharp point where it meets the panel, the plaits of the panel are held flat, while they flare from this point down. About the same distance below the starting-point of this first overlapping fold is that between the belt and the same tuck, and toward the side there begins another fold, which forms a point here, then follows the line of the upper

soft woolen velvings, which are as pretty as the silky ones and trim up in very good style.

Blue still remains the chosen shade for service gowns, while pale gray and ecru may be considered the smartest for dressier effects.

The Reform model is a light cloth in that beautiful pearly shade of gray. The front of the skirt shows a cluster of tucks running from the waist to the top of the deep flounce. In the center and growing shorter at the sides, The back repeats the same arrangement of tiny tuckings. Just above the knees and rounding upward slightly at the back is an inch wide fold of the cloth held by fingerling of silk. This trimming forms the heading for the deep and very full flounce which is ornamented at the top with a broad band of ecru lace embroidered with chenille. This trimming continues on around the skirt in a flat application, broken at intervals where the flounce is laid in graduated box plaits. From the top of these plaits to a distance of about eight inches the same elaborate design of lace is put on so that it ends in a point.

Altogether there are about seven of the plaits and they serve to break up the otherwise plain effect of the flounce, which is simply finished around the bottom with a two-inch hem set on with fagoting.

The entire corsage is laid in fine tucks, and this opens over a fancy vest of tucks mousseline and lace. Down each side of this are soft box plaits of the cloth, in- creased with the chenille-embroidered lace. There are pointed lace-trimmed tabs curving outward from these plaits over the bust, while the same effect is used as shoulder straps, each point being affixed with an antique silver button.

Down the center of the sleeve runs a broad band of the handsome lace, while the vest is of gray tucked cloth. The tucks are freed toward the wrist, so that the fullness forms a puff, which is caught into a lace wristband. Two straps come from the outer side of the sleeve, and, crossing the lace insertion, have their pointed ends held with silver buttons. The lace-embroidered belt is secured at the back by means of handsome antique ornaments, and beneath these fall small tabs in line of the more popular sash ends.

The touch to go with this silvery gray costume is a flat shape of tulle, draped with lace and having the space between the rolling brim and low crown filled with small white roses. The flowers form two clusters at the back, and in addition to these there are two rosettes of black velvet ribbon.

Dainty Dress of Batiste.
A pretty little batiste dress, with its sheer white ground embroidered all over in a star pattern, was made up over a pale blue taffeta foundation. This was finished about the foot with several overlapping flounces of blue chiffon, and the outer one, which was a foot deep, was accordion-plaited. The batiste skirt was battened around the lower edge, and had its square cut border outlined with white lace in a design point and flit.

About eight inches below the waist there was an inset of lace at least half a yard wide. This broad band came a bit higher at the back, and as it gently sloped toward the front it was intersected by a panel of lace, which extended the entire length of the skirt. In addition to the Irish point patterns, which had a flit mesh background, the embroidery wheels of the batiste were cut out and applied effectively upon the lace.

Over a blouse of finely tucked blue chiffon there was a bolero of embroidery which rounded out at the throat to disclose the dainty underwaist of blue. The bottom of the bolero was cut in square tabs and trimmed around with lace in the same design as the skirt. Coming high enough to show the wide crushed sash of blue liberty satin, the lace looked extremely pretty against the dainty background of soft pale blue.

The unique part of the gown was represented in the sleeves, which were made with a tight upper part of batiste, cut off straight across the elbow. From this line there fell a graduated flounce of accordion-plaited blue chiffon, which reached a depth of at least 18 inches at the back of the arm. This plaiting was weighted on the edge with an applique of Irish lace, while a tight band of the same surrounded the arm and, meeting at the outside, was there caught in such a manner that it fell in a long single loop.

The other gown on this page is of pale blue suede cloth with a plaited blouse over which is worn a charming coat of Irish crocheted lace. The skirt, though severely plain, is one of the prettiest models we have seen. There are no tucks or panels and around the bottom there is a two-inch band of crocheted insertion, placed between two folds of the cloth, just the width of the lace.

Nothing in the way of feminine novelties is smarter than the semiloose saque, and though taffeta and even linen are to be very much worn, lace is ever the height of daintiness and beauty.

This particular garment is ornamented with the new silken cord and tassels, which are used to close the coat when it is desirable to wear it on. The lace is put upon a foundation of white mousseline over taffeta, so there is nothing clumsy in its trim appearance. The sleeves are made after the accepted mode—that is, with a puff at the



LIGHT GRAY CLOTH, WITH LACE AND CHENILLE TRIMMINGS.

waist. In this case the fulness is supplied by pale blue chiffon, which is drawn into a wristband of lace, sewn with small silken cords and tassels.

Spring Marks a Fancy.
While muffs as a general thing suggest sharp, biting weather and winter apparel, the dainty article in this instance is more of a springlike accessory. In the first place, there is nothing heavy in its makeup and no fur. Instead, there are blossoms and clouds of shimmering fabric.

In shape this smart novelty resembles a pouch and is carried after the manner of a receptacle, and not like the regulation fur duplicate. The muff, which would be an excellent suggestion for a bridesmaid to carry, is made of soft pale blue tulle, gathered over a lining of silken chiffon in the same heavenly tint.

It is light, graceful and airy and drawn across the outside are two scarfs of folded tulle, which start underneath a bunch of white daisies and extending downward are gathered into two soft knots. From these loops the ends, each one furnished with a cluster of flowers, are permitted to swing below the rounded edge of this unique and charming pouch.

The same idea of daintiness and freshness is carried out with regard to the hat, which is a flat, round shape, woven of pale blue straw. The facing is of blue tulle, gathered softly and over the edge of the brim is a wreath of marguerites.

Bridesmaids have frequently elected to carry flower muffs instead of the regulation bouquet, but the conception made solely of flowers is less novel and dainty looking than this pretty little conceit. This is the season for brides and their girlfriends, so naturally there are many pairs of eyes on the lookout for smart and effective novelties. One grows rather tired of the round and plume bouquets and even of the more unusual crooks, parasols and fancy baskets.

Pretty little capes of flowers and ribbons are among the loveliest novelties, while sashes may be considered the height of smartness. These are made of broad, soft ribbons wound around the waist and caught at the back and front with flat bunches of small flowers, such as forget-me-nots, buttercups, daisies or violets. From the larger bunch, which is placed directly in the back, long ends of ribbon are draped over the dainty skirt. These are trimmed solidly or in some effective pattern across the ends, with the flowers put on in rows or to stimulate fancy appliques. One must select small

and delicate flowers in order to avoid any appearance of clumsiness.

Many of the new hats which are designed for bridesmaids wear are decorated with natural flowers, and these look beautiful, indeed, as they nestle among the meshed laces and masses of chiffon or tulle.

The forget-me-not hat portrayed here would make an excellent model for a hat trimmed with natural blossoms. In this instance artificial ones are used to wreath the brim, and a bunch is placed underneath the turned-up brim on the left side. The top of the hat is of fine creamy white batiste embroidered in white and held around the crown by means of a twisted fold of pale blue ribbon which falls over the brim at the back.

The other hat is one of the bright, flower-laden models, and is made of fine horse-hair braid, with wreaths and clusters of brilliant scarlet geraniums laid about the rolling brim and placed under the left side against the hair. The facing for this hat is constructed of finely shirred tulle in a deep cream tint. The bright green foliage, with its darker veins and dusky brown markings, contrasts prettily with the white of the straw and the rich red velvet flowers.

Strange to say, there is now a school of lace combined with the trimming, and another somewhat remarkable departure from present modes is observed in the entire absence of pendant flowers or draperies.

She Smiles at Wrecks.

Every clever hostess must to all appearances be made of stone, so far as disagreeable happenings are concerned. Even though a guest or careless waiter inadvertently breaks a bit of china which can never be replaced, she must smile on as though the loss of the entire set would but emphasize the pleasure of the evening.

Her well-bred calm inspires her guests with a feeling of confidence, and though in her heart she may be very dubious about certain important details of her dinner or dancer, if she does not show her anxiety everything will pass off to a happy conclusion.



A BLUE VEIL PIPED WITH PLAID TAFFETA.



A SCARLET GERANIUM HAT.